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FOREWORD

The collection, which is now being dispersed, was the property of a late Foreign Diplomat who compiled it with great care and the knowledge of a real student of Ancient Numismatics. Most of the pieces were purchased just before the first World War, partly at auction sales on the Continent, partly from various dealers, among whom the late Dr. Jacob Hirsch, when he was still in Munich; many of the smaller Greek denominations were, for example, bought at the sale of the famous Rhousopoulos Cabinet.

Though the Collection contains very few pieces of great rarity, many of the commoner specimens will commend themselves to the private collectors because of their quality and beauty. In the Greek series worthy of note are the coins of **Ainos, the magnificent tetradrachm of the Aetolian League, the staters of Elis - Olympia,** especially **the superb Zeus head** of lot 215 and **the Hera head** of lot 219; moreover the **Athenian** issues are well represented. The Roman Aurei constitute a very important section, in which the quality of the pieces is really remarkable; as some of the best, the following could be mentioned: **Faustina Senior** and **Faustina Junior; Lucilla;** the gold coins of **Septimius Severus and his family,** in particular the aureus with the two young Augusti Caracalla and Geta; finally, **the superb facing portrait of Licinius Junior, and the attractive Fausta.**

The owner had taken a special interest in the Byzantine Empire, which is shown by the very large number of solidi put together, and also by the quality of such pieces generally. Several of these deserve special mention:

the tremissis of Verina, unfortunately pierced, lot 489;

the solidus and tremissis if Philepicus Bardanes, lots 582 and 586;

the excessively rare solidus of Thedosius III, lot 591;

the solidus of Constantine VI and his mother Irene, lot 606;

the attractive solidus of Irene alone, lot 609;

the extremely rare solidi of Nicephorus I, and Leo V and Constantine, lots 611 and 615;

the solidi of Michael, Theodora and Theda, and of Michael and Theda, lots 617 and 624;

the solidus of Leo VI and Constatine VII, lot 629;

and finally the solidus of Michael VI.

One might add that the attributions to Eudoxia and Eudocia are still problematic. From lot 635 onwards, the legends are not given in the catalogue, they can be read from the plates. Often also the description of reverse types has been done briefly, but a look at the illustrations will give the required information. The place of issue of the coins can be taken as being Constantinople, unless otherwise stated.

Let us add a wish, that this catalogue may, in years to come, if not already now, prove of importance and help to the real students, and the sale be a source of satisfaction and interest to many ardent collectors.

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ABBREVIATIONS

Bab. *Tr.* = E. Babelon, *Traité des Monnaies Grecques et Romaines.*

B.M.C. = *Catalogue of Greek Coins in the British Museum.*

Demanhur = E. T. Newell. Demanhur Hoard, *Numis. Notes and Monographs,* 19.

Grose, *McC.* = S.W. Grose, *McClean Collection of Greek Coins in the Fitzwilliam Museum, Cambridge.*

M = L. Müller, *Numismatiques d'Alexandre Le Grand.*

M. *Lysim.* = L. Müller, *Lysimachus's Mynter.*

May, *Ainos* = J. M. F. May, *Ainos, Its History and Coinage.*

Newell Demetrius = E. T. Newell, *The Coinages of Demetrius Poliorcetes.*

Newell E.S.M. = E. T. Newell, *The Coinage of the Eastern* **S**eleucid *Mints.*

Newell, W.S.M. = E T. Newell, *The Coinage of the Western* **S**eleucid *Mints.*

Ravel, *Poulains* = O. Ravel, *Les Poulains de Corinthe.*

Seltman, *Athens* = C. T. Seltman, *Athens, Its History and Coinage.*

Seltman, *S.C.O.* = C. T. Seltman, *Temple Coins of Olympia.*

Svor. *Crete* = J. N. Svoronos, *Numismatique de la Crète Ancienne.*

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*COINS MARKED * ARE ILLUSTRATED*

GREEK MAINLAND

LOT

1* **MACEDON. Neapolis.** Stater (*c.* 550-500 B.C.) Facing Gorgon's head. *rev.* Quartered incuse square. 9.37 grammes. (*B.M.C.* 7; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 112. 8). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

2* Drachm (*c.* 411-350 B.C.). As last. *rev.* NEOΠ. Head of goddess r. 3.75 gr. (*B.M.C.* 14). *Extremely fine, but with slight die-flaws. Rare.* 1

3 Hemidrachms (2). Types as last (*B.M.C.* 17). **Aegae.** Diobol (*c.* 500-480 B.C.) Goat kneeling r. looking back. *rev.* quartered square. (*B.M.C.* 5). *All fine.* 3

4 **Eion.** Diobol (*c.* 500-450 B.C.). Goose r., looking back; lizard above. *rev.* quartered square (*B.M.C.* 10). *Very fine.* 1

5* **Acanthus.** Tetradrachm (*c.* 424-400 B.C.). Lion r. on bull l. *rev.* AKAN⊙ION around border of quartered raised square, all in incuse square. 13.95 gr. (Grose, *McC.* Pl. 114, 14; *B.M.C.* 24 var). *Very fine and attractive composition.* 1

6 Tetrobol. Forepart of bull kneeling l. Above II, Olive-twig. *rev.* quartered square (*B.M.C.* 35). **Mende.** Tetrobols (2) (*c.* 500-450). Free ass walking r. *rev.* quartered square of mill-sail pattern. (unpublished?). Another (c. 450-400 B.C.) Dionysos reclining on ass r. *rev.* MENΔAIH. Amphora. (*B.M.C.* 8). Half-obol. Half ass r. *rev.* Kantharos (*B.M.C.* 7). *All fine and rare.* 4

LOT

7 **KINGS OF MACEDON. Alexander I.** Tetrobol. (498-454 B.C.) Horse r. *rev.* Corinthian helmet (*B.M.C.* 5). Diobol. Horse r. *rev.* quartered square (Grose, *McC.* Pl. 120,10). **Perdiccas II.** Tetrobol (454-413 B.C.). Horseman r. *rev.* forepart of lion r. (*B.M.C.* 21; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 120, 6). *Fine.* 3

8* **Archelaus I.** Stater. (413-399 B.C.) Head of youthful god (Ares?) r. *rev.* APXEΛAO. Horse r. in linear and incuse square. 10.8 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 120,18). *Extremely fine and fine style.* 1

9 **Amyntas III.** Stater. (389-383 B.C.) Head of bearded Heracles r. *rev.* AMYNTA. Horse as last. 8.52 gr. (*B.M.C.* 2; Grose, *McC.* P. 121, 6). *Obverse very fine, rev. fine.* 1

10* **Philip II.** Gold Stater. (359-336 B.C.) Head of Apollo laureate r. *rev.* ΦIΛIΠΠOY. Biga galloping r. Below facing head of Apollo and A. 8.55 gr. Mint of Amphipolis (*M.* 205). *Extremely fine. Of the very finest style. With this symbol it is a great rarity.* 1

11* Gold twelfth of Stater. Head as last. *rev.* ΦIΛIΠΠO. Thunderbolt. Symbol lion's head (?). 0.73 gr. (*M.* 168). *Extremely fine. Rare.* 1

12* Silver tetradrachm. Head of Zeus laureate r. *rev.* ΦIΛIΠΠOY Horseman in kausia and chlamys to l. Symbol star. 14.3 gr. (*M.* 266). *Of very fine style. Rev. slightly double-struck, but extra fine.* 1

13* Another, As last. *rev.* Boy jockey with palm-branch on horse r. Symbol, janiform head. 14.36 gr. (*M.* 269). *Extremely fine.* 1

14* Tetrobol. Youthful head r. wearing taenia with spike in front. *rev.* As last, horse galloping. Symbol thunderbolt. 2.87 gr. (*M.* 7) *A coin of the finest style and, as such, very rare. Very fine.* 1

15* Another. As last. *rev.* As last. Symbol ear of corn. 2.55 gr. (*M.* 245). *Of good style and brilliant preservation.* 1

16 Three others as last. Varied monograms. A fourth, posthumous with *rev.* horseman wearing petasos. *All extremely fine.* 4

LOT

17* **Alexander III.** Gold Stater (336-323 B.C.). Head of Athena r. in Corinthian helmet, on the bowl a serpent, *rev.* ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔ-ΡΟΥ. Nike l. holding stylis and wreath. ΜΕ; at foot of Nike, to r. cockle-shell. 8.54 gr. (M. 388). Uncertain Mint in Thrace. *Brilliant. Rare.* 1

18* Gold half-stater. Types as last. *rev.* Symbol dove. 4.22 gr. (*M.* —). Mint of Paphos in Cyprus. (Compare *Demanhur* 2667). *Very good and extremely rare.* 1

19* Another. As last, but of later style. The *rev.* uninscribed. Symbol doubtful. 4.32 gr. Posthumous?. *Extremely fine and very rare. Eastern style* (?). 1

20* Silver drachm. Early issues of this reign, like the two following coins. Head of Heracles r. *rev.* ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ. Eagle r. looking back. Monogram ΤΕ. 4.22 gr. Mint of Amphipolis; comp. *Demanhur* 529. *Very fine and very rare.* 1

21* Didrachm. As last. *rev.* ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ. Zeus Aetophoros enthroned l. Symbol caduceus. 8.55 gr. Mint Amphipolis; comp. *Demanhur* 247. *Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

22 Drachm (small and thick). As last. Symbol lighted torch, and M. 4.25 gr. Mint Babylon; comp. *Demanhur* 3983. *Extremely fine. Rare.* 1

23* Tetradrachm. Types as last. *rev.* inscr. ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ. In field flying dove. Under throne Phoenician *aleph*. 17.13 gr. Mint, Amathus in Cyprus. *Demanhur* 2683. *Extremely fine and of great rarity.* 1

24* Another. Types as last. In field rose; below ΔΙΟ. 17.23 gr. Mint Alexandria, first issue. *Demanhur* 4614. *Extremely fine, obverse FDC and best style.* 1

25 Others, posthumous. Types as before. One with ΧΦ; the other, Λ, torch, star on cone. 17.15 16.85 gr. (*M.* 641, and —). Mint Uranopolis. *Very fine.* 2

26* Another. As last. Χ and Π; Star on cone. 17.15 gr. (*M.* 643). Mint Uranopolis. *Almost F.D.C.* 1

27 Another. As last. Letters ⊙ and Π. 17.1 gr. (*M.* 644). Same Mint. *Extremely fine.* 1

LOT

28 Another. Letters ⊙ and A. 17.13 gr. (*M.* —). *Almost F.D.C.* 1

29 Obol. Usual types. A\E≡AN. Mint of Babylon. Drachms (3). All posthumous. Various letters and monograms. *Two extremely fine.* 4

30* Tetradrachm. Time of Mithradates VI. Alexander types. *rev.* in field crested helmet. MA.KO. 16.48 gr. (*M.* 483). Mint, Northern Macedon. *Very fine.* 1

31* **Philip III.** Tetradrachm. (323-316 B.C.) Alexander types. *rev.* M and monogram. 17.2 gr. Mint Babylon. *Demanhur* 4595. *A brilliant coin. F.D.C.* 1

32* Another. Same types. Symbol wheel. 2 monograms. 17.25 gr. Mint Babylon. *Demanhur* 4609. *Extremely fine.* 1

33* **Demetrius Poliorcetes.** Tetradrachm (306-283 B.C.) Nike on prow l. *rev* ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ. Poseidon, back-view, to l. brandishing trident. Monogram ⌶ 16.92 gr. Mint of Tarsus. (Newell, Demetrius, 36). *Very rare. Very fine.* 1

34 Drachm. Same types as last. *Very fine.* Hemidrachm. Similar. *Extremely fine.* Mint of Tarsus. (Newell, *Demetrius,* 44 and 45). 2

35* Tetradrachm. Portrait of king r., horned and diademed. ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΔΗΜΗΤΡΙΟΥ. Poseidon l. with trident, foot on rock. Two monograms. 17.27 gr. Mint of Amphipolis. (Newell, *Demetrius,* 115). *Extremely fine.* 1

36* **Antigonus Gonatas,** Tetradrachm (277-239 B.C.) Head of Pan l. in centre of Macedonian shield. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΝΤΙΓΟΝΟΥ. Athena advancing l. with shield and thunderbolt. Helmet in front. Monogram. 16.65 gr. (Grose, *McC.* Pl. 134,3 *var.*). *Extremely fine.* 1

37* Another. Same types. 17.12 gr. *Almost extremely fine.* 1

38* **Philip V.** Didrachm (220-179 B.C.) Portrait r. diademed. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΦΙΛΙΠΠΟΥ. Club. 3 monograms. All in oak-wreath. 8.48 gr. (Grose, *McC.* Pl. 135,3). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

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39 Drachm. Same types as last. (Grose, *McC.* Pl. 135). **Macedon, autonomous issues** (185-168 B.C.). Triobols (2). Shield with whirling ornament in centre. *rev.* ΜΑΚΕΔΟΝΩΝ. Prow right. The other with head of Maenad r. *rev.* As last. *All extremely fine.* 3

40* **Perseus.** Tetradrachm (178-168 B.C.) Portrait r. diademed. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΕΡΣΕΩΣ. Eagle r. on thunderbolt. MI. Monogram. All in oak-wreath. 16.4 gr. (Grose, *McC.* Pl. 136, 22 *var.*). *High relief. Extremely fine.* 1

41* Another. Same types. Different monograms. 16.12 gr. *Very fine, but somewhat corroded.* 1

42 **Macedon under the Romans.** Tetradrachm (158-149 B.C.) Bust of Artemis r. in centre of Macedonian shield. *rev.* ΜΑΚΕ-ΔΟΝΩΝ ΠΡΩΤΗΣ. Club. N. Monogram. All in wreath. 16.77 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Very fine.* 1

43* **Aesillas Quaestor.** Tetradrachm (93-92 B.C.) ΜΑΚΕΔΟΝΩΝ Head of Alexander horned and long-haired r. ◉ behind. *rev.* AESILLAS Q . Club, money-chest and official chair, all in laurel-wreath. 16.72 gr. (*B.M.C.* 81). *Well struck and extremely fine. Very sharp.* 1

44* **KINGS OF PAEONIA. Patraos.** Tetradrachm (*c.* 340-315 B.C.) Head of Apollo r. *rev.* ΠΑΤΡΑΟΥ. Armed horseman r. spearing a prostrate soldier. In field M. 12.45 gr. (*B.M.C.* 10). *Very fine.* 1

45 Drachm. Similar. *rev.* ΠΑΤΡΟ. Forepart of boar r. Monogram (*B.M.C.* 13). **Audoleon.** Drachm. (*c.* 315-286 B.C.). Facing head of Athena. *rev.* Horse r. Monogram. (*B.M.C.* 13). *Both very fine.* 2

46* **Audoleon.** Tetradrachm (*c.* 315-286 B.C.) Head of Athena facing in triple-crested helmet. *rev.* ΑΥΔΩΛΕΟΝΤΟΣ. Horse r. Monogram beneath. 12.57 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Rare and extremely fine; unusually so for this coin; the reverse F.D.C.* 1

47* **THRACE. Aenus.** Drachm. (*c.* 473-471 B.C.) Head of Hermes r. in petasos. *rev.* AINI . Goat r. in incuse square. 4.05 gr. (May, *Ainos*, no. 6). *Extremely fine and very rare, lovely style.* 1

Lot

48 * Tetrobol. (*c.* 431-429 B.C.). Types as last. Double-axe in front of goat. 2.77 gr. (May, *Ainos*, 119). *Extremely fine. A beautiful piece.* 1

49* Tetradrachm. (*c.* 412-410 B.C.). Types as last. Caduceus in front of goat. 16.37 gr. (May, *Ainos*, 256). *Extremely fine and a very attractive coin. Very rare in this state.* 1

50* Diobol. (*c.* 408-406 B.C.). As last. In front of goat a crab. (May, *Ainos*, 306). *Extremely fine.* 1

51* Diobol. (*c.* 402-399 B.C.). Head of Hermes facing. *rev.* Ear of corn before goat. (May, *Ainos*, 339). *Extremely fine.* 1

52* Tetradrachm. (*c.* 394-391 B.C.). As last. Python in front of goat. 14.65 gr. (May, *Ainos*, 363). *Obv. very fine for this rare coin.* 1

53* Another. (*c.* 372-369 B.C.). As last. Crested helmet in front of goat. 15.35 gr. (May, *Ainos*, 413). *Very fine piece.* 1

54 **Mesembria.** Diobol (*c.* 400 B.C.). Helmet facing. *rev.* META in wheel amid rays (*B.M.C.* 2). **Maronea.** Drachm (*c.* 400-350 B.C.). EYII. Forepart of horse l. *rev.* MA. Grapes in dotted square (*B.M.C.* 31). *Both coins extremely fine.* 2

55* **Dicaea.** Drachm (*c.* 450 B.C.). Head of goddess l. *rev.* ΔIK. Bull's head and neck r. in incuse square. 2.27 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4 var.; Grose *McC.* —). *Very fine. Admirable style. Extremely rare.* 1

56 **Abdera.** Drachms (*c.* 544-450 B.C.). ΔIO. Griffin seated l. *rev.* Shallow quartered square. Another. A B Δ H. Griffin rampant l. *rev.* NYMΦAIOPHΣ. Dolphin within dotted square. (*B.M.C.* 11 and 43; Grose, *McC.* Pls. 145,20 and 146,17). *Extremely fine and very fine.* 2

57* Tetrobol. Griffin seated l.; corn-grain. *rev.* Bull's head l. Drachm. (*c.* 408-350 B.C.). ABΔHPITEΩN. Griffin lying l. *rev.* EIII EKATΩNIMO. Round square containing head of Apollo r. (*B.M.C.* 49 and 73; Grose, *McC.* Pls. 146,33 and 147,10). *Both very fine and rare. The first illustrated.* 2

58* Tetradrachm (*c.* 408-350 B.C.). ABΔHPITEΩN. Griffin lying r. *rev.* EIII ΔHMHTPIOY. Head of Apollo r. 10.0 gr. (*B.M.C.* 66; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 147,4). *Extremely fine and attractive.* 1

Lot

59* **Thracian Chersonese.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 515-500 B.C.). Time of Miltiades II. Horseman r. *rev.* quartered incuse square. 2.65 gr. (Seltman, *Athens*, Pl. XXIV, E.). *Very fine. Exceedingly rare. Illustrated on Plate II.* 1

60 Tetrobols (4). (*c.* 480-350 B.C.). Forepart of lion r., head reverted. *rev.* quartered incuse with alternating depressions contains pellets and simple symbols. (*B.M.C.* 8, etc.). *Two very fine.* 4

61* **Thasos.** Didrachm. (*c.* 550-465 B.C.). Satyr kneeling r. holding in his arms a nymph wearing sleeved chiton. *rev.* quartered incuse. 9.10 gr. (*B.M.C.* 2). *Strong early style. Extremely fine.* 1

62* Another. (*c.* 465-411 B.C.). Type as before. ◉ below. 8.85 gr. (*B.M.C.* 28; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 151,22). *Almost extremely fine.* 1

63 Drachm. (*c.* 411-350 B.C.). Head of Dionysos bearded and ivy-wreathed r. *rev.* ◉ΑΣΙΩΝ. Heracles kneeling shooting r. 2.97 gr. (*B.M.C.*, etc. —). *Fine.* 1

64 Diobol. Satyr kneeling l. holding kantharos. *rev.* ◉ΑΣΙΩΝ. Amphora. Hemidrachm (after 280 B.C.). Head of Dionysos bearded r. *rev.* Club in laurel-wreath. (*B.M.C.* 53 and 66). Both very fine. 2

65 Tetradrachm. (after 146 B.C.). Head of beardless Dionysos r. *rev.* "Heracles saviour of the Thasians". Heracles standing facing with club and lion's skin. In field M. 16.9 gr. (*B.M.C.* 72). *Extremely fine and of good style.* 1

66 **Apollonia Pontica.** Drachm. (450-400 B.C.). Gorgoneion facing with crown of snakes. *rev.* A. Anchor. Crayfish. (Grose, *McC.* Pl. 248, 13). **Byzantium.** Tetrobol. (*c.* 416-357 B.C.). $\overset{\frown}{\text{ΥΠΥ}}$. Bull l. over dolphin. *rev.* Mill-sail incuse dotted. (*B.M.C.* 16). *Fine and extremely fine.* 2

67* **Byzantium.** Drachm. (*c.* 416-347 B.C.). $\overset{\frown}{\text{ΥΠΥ}}$. Bull l. on dolphin. *rev.* Mill-sail incuse. 5.25 gr. (*B.M.C.* 1; Grose *McC.* Pl. 153,1). *Extremely fine.* 1

68* Tetradrachm. (*c.* 357-340 B.C.). As last. Under bull's belly E. *rev.* Quartered granulated incuse with rounded corners. 15.03 gr. (*B.M.C.* 11; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 153,2 *but a variety*). *Not well centred but very fine. Very rare.* 1

Lot

69 **Sparadocus, King of the Odrysae.** (*c.* 420 B.C.). Diobol. ΣΠΑ. Half-horse l. *rev.* Eagle flying l. (*B.M.C.* 1). *Very fine and very rare.* 1

70 **Lysimachus.** Drachms (2) with Alexander types. (323-281 B.C.). Symbols, forepart of lion, crescent and pentagram (M. *Lysim.* 22). Forepart of lion; of winged horse and torch. (M. *Lysim.* 24). *Both extremely fine.* 2

71* Tetradrachm. Portrait of Alexander horned r. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΛΥΣΙΜΑΧΟΥ. Athena Nikephoros seated l., arm on shield. Symbol lion's head. Monogram. 17.1 gr. (M. *Lysim.* 43 *var.*). *Very fine. Extremely sharp portrait.* 1

72* Another *rev.* Symbol lion's head. 2 monograms. 15.85 gr. (M. *Lysim.* 47). *Very fine.* 1

73* Another. Time of Mithradates VI. Types as last. *rev.* symbol trident. BY on throne. Monogram in front. 16.95 gr. (M. *Lysim.* 215). *Extremely fine.* 1

74 Drachms (2). Same types. Symbol lyre; and bee. (M. *Lysim.* 355 and 425). *Both very fine.* 2

75* **THESSALY. The League.** Double Victoriate. (196-146 B.C.). Head of Zeus r.; behind, EP. *rev.* ⊙ΕΣΣΑΛΩΝ. Athena Itonia r. Magistrates, *Pausanias, Diodoros.* 6.25 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 179,13). *Extremely fine.* 1

76 Another. Magistrates, *Aristokles, Mandrosthenous.* 6.30 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 178,13). *Extremely fine.* 1

77 Another. Magistrates, *Pythonos, Kleomachides.* In field r. tripod. (*B.M.C.* 23; Grose, *McC.* —). Drachms (2). Head of Apollo r. *rev.* as last. (*B.M.C.* 39 and —). *The first extremely fine.* 3

78* **Aenianes.** Hemidrachm. (400-344 B.C.). Head of Zeus l. laureate. *rev.* AINIANΩN. Hero Phemius, petasus in hand, hurling javelin. 2.68 gr. (*B.M.C.* 2). *Almost extremely fine and rare; charming style.* 1

79* Hemidrachm. (*c.* 200 B.C.). ΔΑΙΜΕ. Male head r. in crested Corinthian helmet. *rev.* As last, but Phemius uses sling. Two javelins beside him. 2.37 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Grose, *McC.* —). *Unpublished* (?). *Extremely fine.* 1

Lot

80* Attic didrachm (*c.* 168-146 B.C.). Head of Athena Parthenos r. copied from contemporary Athenian coins. *rev.* AINIANΩN. Phemius as before. Magistrate, *Nikoboulos.* Crescent. 7.85 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Grose, *McC.* —). *Very fine.* 1

81* Another. *rev.* AINIANΩN OITEΩ[N] ΣYMMAXΩ (?). Phemius, as before. 7.34 gr. (*B.M.C.* etc. —). *This may record an alliance between two Thessalian tribes; the Aenianes and their neighbours, the Oetaeans. Unpublished* (?). *Extremely fine.* 1

82* **Cierium.** Diobol. (*c.* 400-344 B.C.). Head of Zeus r. *rev.* KIEPIEIΩN. Nymph Arne facing, kneeling playing with knucklebones. In field, ivy-leaf. 1.43 gr. (*B.M.C.* 1; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 171,13). *Very fine and very rare. Most attractive.* 1

83 **Heraclea in Trachis.** Obol. (*c.* 400 B.C.). Lion's head l.; corn-grain. *rev.* HPA. Quiver, bow, serpent. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 287, 7). **Lamia.** Triobol and obol. (*c.* 400 B.C.). Each with head of young Dionysos l. *rev.* Amphora and jug (*B.M.C.* 2 and 5). *All very fine, the first rare.* 3

84* **Larissa.** Drachm. (*c.* 450 B.C.). Youth l. wrestling with steer. Petasus flying above. *rev.* ΛARI. Horse with trailing rein prancing r.; incuse square. 5.95 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 296,3). *Extremely fine.* 1

85 Another. (*c.* 400-300 B.C.). Youth and steer r. *rev.* ΛAPIΣAIA. Horse l. 6.15 gr. Obol. Horse l. *rev.* Nymph standing facing (*B.M.C.* — —; Bab. *Tr.* Pls. 296,21 and 297,12 *var.*). *Both fine, the last very rare.* 2

86 Drachm. (*c.* 400-350 B.C.). Head of nymph r. *rev.* ΛAPIΣAIA. Horse galloping r. 6.12 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; but comp. nos. 52 and 30; Bab. *Tr.* —, but comp. Pl. 298, 1 and 2). *Obv. very fine.* 1

87* Didrachm (same date). Head of nymph facing, turned slightly to l. *rev.* ΛAPIΣAIΩN. Horse walking r. 11.8 gr. (*B.M.C.* 55; Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 298, 12). *Very fine and very rare.* 1

88* Drachm. Same types, but horse standing l. head lowered. 5.93 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* —). *Extremely fine. Very rare. Probably struck under Symos, Tetrach of Larissa, 352-344 B.C.* 1

89 Another. As last, but facing head slightly to r. *rev.* As last. 6.10 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* —). Triobol. Same types but head slightly to l. *rev.* Horse r. drinking. (*B.M.C.* 68). *Fine.* 2

90 **Oetaei.** Triobol. (*c.* 196-146 B.C.). Head of lion l. *rev.* OITAIΩN. Heracles facing holding club. (*B.M.C.* 9). **Magnetes.** Drachm (same dates). Head of Zeus r. *rev.* MAI'NHTΩN. Artemis seated on prow l. Monograms. (*B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine, and very fine.* 2

91 **Oetaei.** Obol. (*c.* 400-344 B.C.). Lion's head ?. *rev.* quiver and bow. (*B.M.C.* 3). *Pierced.* **Perrhaebi.** Diobol. (*c.* 420 B.C.). Horseman l. Block below. *rev.* Athena seated on chair l. holding helmet. (*B.M.C.* 2). *The second very rare and fine.* 2

92* **Phalanna.** Drachm. (*c.* 400-344 B.C.). Head of youth r. *rev.* ΦA.\A. Horse walking r. 5.51 gr. (*B.M.C.* 1). *Very fine and rare. Lovely style.* 1

93* **Pharsalus.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 450-400 B.C.). Head of Athena in crested helmet r. *rev.* ΦAP. Bust of horse r. 2.95 gr. (*B.M.C.* 2). *Very fine.* 1

94* Drachm. (*c.* 400 B.C.). Head of Athena r.; Scylla on helmet. *rev.* ΦAPΣ. Thessalian horseman with whip l. 5.95 gr. (*B.M.C.* 9 *var.*). *Very fine and rare type.* 1

95 Hemidrachm. (*c.* 35 B.C.). Head of Athena l. A behind. *rev.* ΦAPΣA. Bust of horse r. 2.55 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 289, 6). *Fine. Very rare.* 1

96* **Pherae.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 480-450 B.C.). Forepart of horse r. springing from a rock. *rev.* ΦE TA. Opening bud. Incuse square. 2.85 gr. (*B.M.C.* 8). *Very fine and rare.* 1

97* **Scotussa.** Drachm. (*c.* 480-450 B.C.). Forepart of horse l. *rev.* [Σ] KO. Opening bud. Incuse square. 4.85 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* —, but comp. Pl. 295,6). *Very fine. Of the greatest rarity.* 1

98 **Tricca.** Hemidrachms (2). (*c.* 480-400 B.C.). Youth r. wrestling with half a bull. OΣ. *rev.* Half a horse r. The second similar. (Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 291, 10 *var.*, and 14). *Both fine.* 2

Lot

99 **ILLYRIA. Dyrrhachium.** Drachm. (*c.* 229-100). Cow and calf, club, corn ear, grapes. *Archephron* (mag.). *rev.* ΔΥΡ. Double pattern, *Asklapou.* (*B.M.C.* 42).**EPIRUS. Cassope.** Drachm. (*c.* 238-168 B.C.). Head of Zeus r. Monograms. *Lykos* (mag.). *rev.* ΚΑΣΣΩΠΑΙΩΝ. Eagle r. in wreath. (*B.M.C.* 8 *var.*). **Republic.** Drachm. Date and types as last, but types to l. *Sosan* (mag.). (*B.M.C.* — comp. no. 39). *Two last extremely fine, the former very rare.* 3

100 Drachm as last, but types r. Head of Zeus. rev. ΑΠΕΙΡΩΤΑΝ. 4.97 gr. (*B.M.C.* 22). *Extremely fine.* 1

101* **KINGS OF EPIRUS. Alexander I.** Stater. (342-326 B.C.). Head of Zeus r. *rev.* A\ΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ [ΤΟΥ] ΝΕΟΠΤΟΛ [ΕΜΟΥ]. Thunderbolt. 10.85 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Very fine, and a very rare piece.* 1

102* Hemiobol. Head of Heracles r. *rev.* A\ΕΞΑΝ NE. Thunderbolt, remains of linear square. 0.31 gr. (*B.M.C.*, etc. —). *Unpublished* (?). *Extremely fine.* 1

103* **Pyrrhus.** Didrachm. (295-272 B.C.). Head of Persephone r. *rev.* [ΠΥ]ΡΡΟΥ. Athena l. fighting. 5.42 gr. (*B.M.C.* 14). Minted in Syracuse. *Obv. very fine. Rare.* 1

104 **CORCYRA.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 500-450 B.C.). Amphora. *rev.* star. (*B.M.C.* 45 *var.*). Drachm (*c.* 300-229 B.C.). ΚΟΡ. Half a cow r. *rev.* Two rectangles containing stars. Grapes, Kantharos. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* —; Grose, *McC.* 190,3). *The first very fine, the second very rare.* 2

105 Stater. (*c.* 400-300 B.C.). Cow r. with calf. Star above. *rev.* ΚΟΡ. Two ornamented rectangles joined in square. Spear head below. 10.25 gr. (*B.M.C.* 129). *Very fine.* 1

106 Didrachms (2). (200-48 B.C.). Head of young Dionysos r. *rev.* Monogram of Corcyra, and another. Pegasus flying r. 4.68 and 4.62 gr. (*B.M.C.* 362). *Both extremely fine.* 2

107* Another (same date). Similar. Pegasus holds palm-branch in his mouth. 4.62 gr. (*B.M.C.* 369). *Extremely fine and extremely rare variety. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

108* **ACARNANIA. Heraclea.** Drachm. (*c.* 450-400 B.C.). Head of bearded Heracles facing, turned slightly to l. *rev.* [Η] ΡΑ. Bow and quiver in incuse square. 2.49 gr. (*B.M.C.*, Grose *McC.* —; Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 279, 8 *var.*). *Very fine and of the greatest rarity.* 1

Lot

109 **Leucas.** Stater. (After 168 B.C.). Statue of Artemis r. holding aplustre. In front stag. Behind bird-topped column. All in wreath. *rev.* Prow r. Magistrate *Lysimachos*. Head above. 8.24 gr. (*B.M.C.* 94). *Very fine.* 1

110 Another. No column. *rev.* Magistrate *Maraios*. In front caduceus. 8.32 gr. (*B.M.C.* —). *Somewhat weakly struck. Extremely fine.* 1

111* **AETOLIA. The League.** Tetradrachm. (279-168 B.C.). Head of Heracles r. as on the Alexander coinage. *rev.* AITΩΛΩN. "Aetolia" wearing kausia, short chiton which leaves right breast bare, and endromides, seated on pile of Macedonian and Gaulish shields. She holds spear and sword. Beneath her feet a Gaulish dragon-trumpet. Monogram and ΠH. 16.77 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 197,2). *Beautifully designed and struck. F.D.C. A charming specimen of a very rare type.* 1

112* Didrachm (same date). Young male head r. diademed; below, ΦI. *rev.* AITΩΛΩN. Warrior standing l., kausia at neck, chlamys round l. arm; sword, spear, r. foot on rock. In front NI. 10.25 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Grose, *McC.* — with NI). *Extremely fine.* 1

113 Another. *rev.* Monogram and ΦI. 9.95 gr. (comp. *B.M.C.* 10). Triobol. Head of "Aetolia" or Atalanta r. *rev.* Calydonian boar r. Spear-head. Φ . Λ. (*B.M.C.* —). *Both very fine.* 2

114* **LOCRIS. Opuntians.** Stater. (*c.* 387-339 B.C.). Head of Persephone l. *rev.* OΠONTIΩN. *Ajax* with helmet, sword and shield, in which lion, striding r. Below spear and helmet with loop. 12.17 gr. (*B.M.C.* 22). *Extremely fine and very attractive.* 1

115 Another. As last, but griffin in shield. 11.82 gr. (*B.M.C.* 31 *var.*). *Very fine.* 1

116 Hemidrachms (2). Types as last. Symbols Kantharos and helmet. (*B.M.C.* 9 and 19). Obols (3). Pointed amphora. OΠ-ON. *rev.* Star (*B.M.C.* 3, etc.). *All very fine.* 5

117 A similar lot containing one Hemidrachm and four Obols. *All very fine.* 5

LOT

118 **Locris in Locrian name.** Hemidrachm as before, and obol as before. Both inscribed ΛOKPΩN (*B.M.C.* 39 and 45). *Both very fine. Rare.* 2

119 **PHOCIS.** Drachm. (*c.* 550-480 B.C.). Young bull's head facing. *rev.* ΦOKI. Head of Apollo l. in square (*B.M.C.* 15 *var.*); Another. (*c.* 480-420 B.C.). Types as last but *rev.* head r. (*B.M.C.* 21). *The second extremely fine.* 2

120 Obols (date as last). Bull's head facing. *rev.* Forepart of boar, one l.; one r. (Comp. *B.M.C.* 49 and 58). *Both extremely fine.* 2

121 **Delphi.** Obol. (*c.* 500 B.C.). Tripod. *rev.* Omphalos in ring. Another. (*c.* 450 B.C.). Ram's head r. Dolphin. *rev.* Two goats' heads face to face. Dolphin. Another. Ram's head l. *rev.* Facing goat's head between dolphins. (*B.M.C.* 5; 2; 17). *The first very fine.* 3

122 **BOEOTIA in genere.** Drachm. (*c.* 600-550 B.C.). Boeotian shield. *rev.* Mill-sail incuse square. Obol. Same. (*B.M.C.* 2 and 12). *The first extremely fine.* 2

123 Drachm. (*c.* 387-374 B.C.). Shield. *rev.* Amphora in shallow incuse square. Hemidrachm. Shield. *rev.* BO I Ω. Kantharos, Club. (*B.M.C.* 17 and 33). *Both extremely fine, the first rare type.* 2

124 Hemidrachms (4) as last. Two with crescents, one with grapes as symbols in addition to club; and an obol with same types, crescent. (*B.M.C.* 50 ff. and 55). *All extremely fine.* 5

125 Drachms (2). (*c.* 244-146 B.C.). Head of Persephone facing. *rev.* BOIΩTΩN. Poseidon standing r. with trident and dolphin. The other with head of Zeus r. *rev.* BOIΩT. Nike standing l. with wreath and trident. (*B.M.C.* 79 and 92). *Very fine and extremely fine.* 2

126 **Haliartus.** Stater. (*c.* 550-500 B.C.). Boeotian shield, rim divided into compartments. *rev.* EI in mill-sail incuse. 11.95 gr. (*B.M.C.* 6). *Fine. Rare.* 1

127 **Mycalessus.** Obol. (*c.* 387-374 B.C.). Shield, *rev.* MY. Thunderbolt. (*B.M.C.* 1). **Orchomenos.** Obols (2). (*c.* 500 B.C.). Corn-grain. *rev.* Incuse square divided into irregular compartments. **Thespiae.** Obol. (*c.* 387-374 B.C.). Shield. *rev.* ⊙EΣ. Crescent. (*B.M.C.* 7). *All very fine.* 4

LOT

128* **Tanagra.** Drachm. (*c.* 500 B.C.). Shield. *rev.* Mill-sail incuse. In alternate compartments T T. 6.27 gr. (*B.M.C.* 6). *Very fine. Rare.* 1

129 Obol. (*c.* 387-374 B.C.). Shield. *rev.* TA. Forepart of Horse. Hemiobol. Similar. (*B.M.C.* 31 and 45). *Both very fine.* 2

130* **Thebes.** Stater. (*c.* 550-480 B.C.). Shield, rim divided into compartments. *rev.* ⊕ in mill-sail incuse. 12.3 gr. (*B.M.C.* 6). *Very fine.* 1

131 Hemidrachm. Similar. 3.05 gr. (*B.M.C.* 9). *Very fine.* 1

132* Stater. (*c.* 400-395 B.C.). Shield. *rev.* ⊙ E . Head of bearded Dionysos ivy-crowned r. All in incuse square. 12.25 gr. (*B.M.C.* 58). *Extremely fine and rare. Very fine style.* 1

133 Triobols (2). (Same date). Shield *rev.* ⊙EB and ⊙EBH. Kantharos. Club. All in square. Obol, similar. Obol. Shield *rev.* Head of young Heracles r. (*B.M.C.* 65, 66, 73, 169). *Two extremely fine. The other two good.* 4

134 Stater. (Same date). Shield. *rev.* ⊙E. Amphora. 11.75 gr. (*B.M.C.* 74). *Extremely fine.* 1

135 Another. (*c.* 387-374 B.C.). Shield. *rev.* ΑΓΛΑ. Amphora. 12.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* 111). *Very fine.* 1

136 Another. Magistrate ΔΑΜΩ. 12.07 gr. (*B.M.C.* 129). *Extremely fine.* Another. Magistrate HIKE. 12.12 gr. (*B.M.C.* 147 *var.*). *Very fine.* 2

137* **EUBOEA.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 420 B.C.). Head if goddess r. *rev.* EYBOI. Bull r. 16.23 gr. (*B.M.C.* — Grose, *McC*, Pl. 205, 6). *Almost very fine, but an extremely rare type.* 1

138 Drachms (2). (*c.* 369-336 B.C.). Similar head l. *rev.* Bull's head on neck three-quarter r. Fillets on horns. Obol. Same types. (*B.M.C.* 8, 12, 16). *Two first extremely fine.* 3

139* **Carystos.** Stater (same dates). Cow r. suckling calf. *rev.* Cock. 6.06 gr. (*B.M.C.* 6). Drachm. (*c.* 197-146 B.C.). Head of bearded Heracles r. *rev.* Bull charging r. in wreath. (*B.M.C.* —; Grose, *McC.* Pl. 203, 20). *The first very rare and very fine. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 2

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140 Another like the last. **Chalcis.** Drachms (3). (*c.* 369-336 B.C.). Female head to r. *rev.* XAA. Eagle flying holding serpent r. Symbols wreath, kantharos, monogram. (*B.M.C.* 44, 48, 64). Diobol similar, but eagle holds hare. (*B.M.C.* 57). *Four last extremely fine.* 5

141 **Eretria.** Obol. (*c.* 480-445 B.C.). Bull's head. *rev.* Cuttle-fish in incuse square. (*B.M.C.* 36). **Histiaea.** Triobols (2). (*c.* 196-146 B.C.). Head of Maenad r. *rev.* IΣTIAEΩN. Nymph seated on prow r. (*B.M.C.* 36 and 53). *All extremely fine, the first very rare small denomination.* 3

142* **ATTICA. Athens. Oligarchy.** Didrachm. (*c.* 594-562 B.C.). Wheel. rev. quartered incuse. 8.44 gr. (Seltman, Athens. P27, A28). *Extremely fine.* 1

143* Similar. Drachm. Same types. 3.90 gr. (Seltman, Pl. IV). *Very fine.* 1

144 **Oligarchy** obols (3). Two with wheels; one with facing Gorgon. **Peisistratus.** (566-527 B.C.). Two obols and a half-obol. All with archaic head of Athena r. *rev.* owl. *Mainly very fine.* 6

145 A similar lot containing two Oligarchic obols; two Peisistratid obols and two kindred half-obols; and a tetartemorion. *Several very fine.* 7

146* **Athens. Peisistratus.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 555-546 B.C.). Primitive head of Athena r. *rev.* [A] ⊙E. Owl r. head facing. 16.8 gr. (Seltman, *Athens* A73). *Excellent for this coinage.* 1

147* Another. Similar. 17.01 gr. (Seltman A82). *Extremely fine for this issue, very attractive style.* 1

148* Another. Similar. (c. 546-527 B.C.). 16.98 gr. (Near to Seltman A106, P118). *A very pleasing coin, almost EF.* 1

149* Another similar. **Time of Cleisthenes.** (*c.* 506-490 B.C.). Head of strong archaic style. 16.79 gr. (Seltman, 396. *This coin*). The owl most lively. *Extremely fine. A distinguished piece.* 1

150 Obols (2) and hemiobols (2) of the Peisistratid period. *All very fine and very rare.* 4

151 Obols (3) of the period between Marathon and Salamis (490-480 B.C.); and a drachm (*c.* 475 B.C.). *The last very fine; the others extremely fine.* 4

LOT

152* Tetradrachm. (c. 450 B.C.). The head of Athena r. shows much of the crest on the helmet. *rev.* The owl r. elegant. 17.15 gr. (Comp. Seltman, *Greek Coins* Pl. XVI, 10). *Extremely fine and unusually large flan.* 1

153* Another, about same date. 17.12 gr. *Extremely fine.* 1

154 Another. Same date. 17.11 gr. *Very fine.* 1

The following lots comprise selected Athenian fractional currency which is generally much more rare than the tetradrachm coinage. For the fifth century, note Seltman, *Greek Coins* Pl. XVI, 2 to 6; *and for the fourth, ibid.* Pl. XXXIX, 2 to 9.

155 Fifth century B.C. Drachms (2), Triobols (2), with owl facing within wreath, Obols (2), Hemiobols (2). *All excellent, except drachms.* 8

156 A similar lot having Triobol (1) and trihemiobol (1) as well as the rest. *Almost all excellent.* 8

157 A third lot: like the last. *All excellent to very fine.* 8

158 A fourth lot. Drachms (2), Trihemiobol (2), Obols (2), Hemiobols (4). *Extremely fine to very fine.* 10

159 Diobol. Two owls confronted. Tetartemorion, a crescent. *The two rarest denominations. Very fine.* 2

160 Fourth century B.C. Drachm (1), Diobol (1), Obol (1), Three-quarter-obol (1), Tetartemorion with Kalathos (1). *All very fine.* 5

161 A similar lot. No drachm, but two diobols. 5

162 Tetradrachm. (*c.* 390 B.C.). The usual types. 17.2 gr. *A well-struck coin. Extremely fine.* 1

163* Tetradrachm (*c.* 220-197 B.C.). Head of the Pheidian Athena Parthenos r. *rev.* AΘE. Owl facing on amphora. Two monograms. Small eagle. Below AN. All in olive-wreath. 16.6 gr. (*B.M.C.* 299 *var.*). *Very fine.* 1

164* Another (*c.* 196-87 B.C.). Types as last. *rev.* Magistrates, *Karaich. Ergokle. Diog.* In field prow. On amphora M. Beneath ME. 16.85 gr. (*B.M.C.* 430 *var.*). *Almost F.D.C.* 1

LOT

165 Another. (*c.* 86-83 B.C. ?). Same types. No AΘE. Two monograms. 16.75 gr. (*B.M.C.* 516); and a drachm (*c.* 220-197 B.C.). Same types. *rev.* AΘE. and ear of corn beside owl. (*B.M.C.* 291). *Both very fine.* 2

166 **Aegina.** Didrachm. (640 B.C.). Turtle seen from above. *rev.* deep incuse square compartmented as a mill-sail incuse. 12.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* 3; Seltman, *Greek Coins,* Pl. II, 15). *Very fine.* 1

167* Another, later. (*c.* 500-470 B.C.). As last. Dots down back. *rev.* Incuse square divided into five irregular compartments. 11.81 gr. (*B.M.C.* 85; Seltman *op. cit.* Pl. XVI, 7). *Very fine. Well centred.* 1

168 Triobol, obol, hemiobol (same date). All as last. (*B.M.C.* 107, 121, 138). *All very fine.* 3

169 Others; obol and hemiobols (4). All as last. *All fine.* 5

170* Didrachm. (*c.* 404 B.C.). Land tortoise seen from above. *rev.* As last. 12.2 gr. (Seltman, *op. cit.* Pl. XXXIV, 16). *Very fine. The row of shells around very well struck.* 1

171* Another (*c.* 350 B.C.). AI. As last. *rev.* In some of the compartments A/IΓI and dolphin. 10.5 gr. (*B.M.C.* 190 and 188). *Fourrée* (?). *Extremely fine.* 1

172 Drachm, obol, hemiobol (same date). Types as last. (*B.M.C.* 170, 177, 182). *All very fine and better.* 3

173 A similar lot, but with triobol and two obols. *Very fine.* 3

174* **CORINTHIA. Corinth.** Stater. (*c.* 600 B.C.). ♀ Pegasus flying l. *rev.* Incuse pattern of swastika form. 8.53 gr. (*B.M.C.* 16; Seltman *op. cit.* Pl. II 17; Ravel, *Poulains,* 28). *Extremely fine and beautifully struck.* 1

175* Drachm. Same date and types. 2.35 gr. (*B.M.C.* 26; Seltman, *op. cit.* Pl. II, 18). *Extremely fine. Rare.* 1

176* Stater. Same date. ♀ Pegasus walking on ground line. *rev.* As last. 8.05 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4; Seltman, *op. cit.,* Pl. II, 20; Ravel, *Poulains,* 65). *Very fine.* 1

177 Hemidrachms (2). (*c.* 600-550 B.C.). Forepart of Pegasus l. Obols (2). Pegasus l. *revs.* as before. (*B.M.C.* 37 and 41). *All fine.* 4

LOT

178* Stater (*c.* 500-450 B.C.). ♀ Pegasus l. *rev.* Head of Athena in Corinthian helmet r. 8.61 gr. (*B.M.C.* 64; Ravel, *Poulains,* 190). *Extremely fine, attractive style.* 1

179* Another. Pegasus r. 8.65 gr. (*B.M.C.* 64; Ravel, *Poulains,* 228). *Extremely fine. Archaic smile.* 1

180* Another. Similar. 8.64 gr. (*B.M.C.* 66; Ravel, *Poulains,* 232). *Very fine.* 1

181* Drachm. Same types as last. 2.75 gr. (*B.M.C.* 89). *Very fine and very rare.* 1

182 Drachms. One as last, but head to l. Others (2). Pegasus l. *rev.* Head of Aphrodite r. (*B.M.C.* 90, 79, 80). *First rare, all fine.* 3

183 Hemidrachms (3). (*c.* 400 B.C.). Half Pegasus l. *rev.* Head of Aphrodite l. Diobol. Pegasus on both sides. Trihemiobol. Pegasus l. *rev.* Gorgoneion facing. *All fine.* 5

184 A similar lot containing one Hemidrachm and four diobols. *All very fine.* 5

185 A third lot of two trihemiobols, as above, and obols (3), with Pegasus l. *rev.* Trident. *All fine.* 5

186 Stater. (*c.* 400-338 B.C.). Pegasus l. *rev.* Head of Athena l. Owl behind. 8.14 gr. (*B.M.C.* 180). Drachms (2). Same period. Pegasus l. *rev.* Head of Aphrodite l. *Extremely fine to fine.* 3

187 Stater. (*c.* 300-243 B.C.). Types as before. *rev.* Symbol, Terminal figure and monogram behind the head. 8.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* 404). Drachms (3). Same period. Types as in last lot. *All fine.* 4

188* **CORINTHIAN COLONIES. Ambracia.** Stater. (*c.* 480-432 B.C.). A. Pegasus flying r. *rev.* Head of Athena helmeted and wearing earring r. Twig of ivy behind. 8.55 gr. (*B.M.C.* 1). *A superb coin. Struck on very large flan.* 1

189* **Leucas.** Stater. Same date and similar. Λ below Pegasus. 8.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* 5). *Extremely fine.* 1

190 Triobol. (*c.* 430-330 B.C.). Λ. Half Pegasus l. *rev.* Head of Aphrodite l. Diobol and obol with usual types, Pegasus on both sides, and Pegasus and trident. (*B.M.C.* 118, 124, 144), and third-century drachm, uncertain print. *All fine.* 4

LOT

191 **PELOPONNESUS. Phlius.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 431-370 B.C.). Half bull l. *rev.* Φ. Another, Φ, whole bull l. *rev.* Φ and four grape-bunches. (*B.M.C.* 8 and 23). **Sicyon.** Obols (2). (5th cent. B.C.). Dove standing or flying. *rev.* Σ. (*B.M.C.* 9 and —). *All very fine.* 4

192* **Sicyon.** Stater. (*c.* 431-400 B.C.). ΣE. Chimaera l. *rev.* Dove flying l. in olive-wreath. 12.02 gr. (*B.M.C.* 22). *Obv. very fine, rev. extremely fine.* 1

193* Another. (*c.* 400-300 B.C.). As last, but both types r. and *rev.* ◉ behind dove. 11.83 gr. (*B.M.C.* 46 *var.*). *Very fine.* 1

194 Another. Same date. Types l.; on *rev.* N. 11.9 gr. (*B.M.C.* 57). *Very fine.* 1

195 Drachm. Same date. ΣI. Dove l. *rev.* Dove l. in wreath. E. 5.7 gr. (*B.M.C.* 107). *Extremely fine.* 1

196 Drachm. Same date. ΣE. Chimaera l. *rev.* As last; with I. 5.55 gr. (*B.M.C.* 68). *Very fine.* 1

197 Triobol, Obols (4), Hemiobol. (4th cent. B.C.). Chimaera and dove; dove and dove (2); Apollo head and dove (2); lion and *rev.* dove. *All very fine.* 6

198 A similar lot. *All very fine, one rare.* 6

199 A third lot. *Mostly fine.* 6

200 A fourth lot. *Some very fine.* 6

201 A fifth lot, including 2 obols with kneeling Apollo holding bow. *These last two rare, mainly fine.* 6

202 **ACHAIA. Aegae.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 431-370 B.C.). Forepart of goat r. *rev.* Head of Zeus r. 2.57 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Very fine and very rare.* 1

203 **Patrae.** Drachms. (*c.* 250-146 B.C.). Head of Zeus r. *rev.* monogram. Others (3). Head of Aphrodite. *rev.* monogram. Magistrates: the first coin *Agys Aisschronos,* and *Damasias* (3). (*B.M.C.* 1, and 2). *All extremely fine.* 4

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204 **Achaean League.** Drachms (after *c.* 280 B.C.). Head of Zeus r. *rev.* Achaean monogram with subsidiary types &c. Mints: Aegium (3), Dyme (1), Patrae (2), Elis (2). (*B.M.C.* 24, 29, 36, 41, 65, 68). *All extremely fine.* 8

205* **Elis-Olympia. Zeus Mint.** Stater. (*c.* 510-471 B.C.). Eagle flying l. holding serpent. *rev.* FA. Thunderbolt. 10.75 gr. (Seltman, *Temple Coins of Olympia,* 14). *Obverse somewhat tooled, very fine.* 1

206* Another. Same date. Eagle holds hare. Cms. 11.25 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 31). *Obverse somewhat tooled, very fine.* 1

207* Another. (*c.* 471-452 B.C.). Eagle spread-winged flying r. with serpent. *rev.* FA. Thunderbolt. 11.79 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 49b, *this coin*). *Very fine, probably overstruck.* 1

208* Another. Struck from the identical pair of dies. 11.83 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 49). *Very fine and well struck on a similar stater of Elis.* 1

209* Another. Eagle r. holds hare. *rev.* FA. Nike advancing l. 11.0 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 59 *obv.* with 51 *rev.*). *Somewhat tooled, otherwise very fine and rare.* 1

210* Another. *rev.* FA. Thunderbolt. 12.15 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.* 67, but *rev.* varies). *Very fine.* 1

211 Drachm. (*c.* 452-432 B.C.). Types as last. 5.35 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, p. 35 and Pl. VIII, 7). *Very fine.* 1

212 Obol. (*c.* 500 B.C.). Eagle flying l. *rev.* FA. Thunderbolt. (*Seems unpublished*). Hemidrachm. As last. Another. (*c.* 410 B.C.). IIO. Eagle's head r. *rev.* Thunderbolt in wreath. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, Pl. VIII, 3 and 20). *All fine and rare, the last by the artist Po (likrates ?), very rare.* 3

213* Stater. (*c.* 421-365 B.C.). Head of Eagle l. Below white-poplar leaf. *rev.* FA. Thunderbolt in olive-wreath. 11.92 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 156). *Almost very fine, of striking style.* 1

214* Another. Same date. Circular shield on which eagle l. killing ram. *rev.* F. Folding thunderbolt. A incuse. 12.04 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 172). *Very fine, attractive composition.* 1

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215* Another. (*c.* 363-343 B.C.). Head of Zeus r. laureate. *rev.* FA. Eagle standing r. 12.03 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 196). *Extremely fine. One of the most noble heads of the god, of beautiful design and extremely sharp. A master-piece.* 1

216 Hemidrachm, and obol. Date and types as last, with poplar-leaf in field l. on drachm, and eagle looking back on obol. Obol. (*c.* 410 B.C.). Eagle's head l. *rev.* Thunderbolt. FA. (*All seem unpublished*); and a late drachm. (After 191 B.C.). Eagle on hare r. *rev.* Thunderbolt. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, Pl. VII, 35). *All very fine.* 4

217* **Hera Mint.** Stater. (*c.* 421-385 B.C.). Head of Hera r. in broad stephane on which H P A . *rev.* FA. Thunderbolt in wreath of wild olive. 11.65 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 262). *Very fine. Very rare.* 1

218* Another. Same date and types. Head in higher relief. No letters. *rev.* As last. 10.6 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 285). *Very fine and delicate style.* 1

219* Another. (*c.* 363-323 B.C.). FA. Head of Hera to l., wearing stephanos adorned with palmettes. *rev.* Eagle r. in wreath of wild olive. 12.35 gr. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, 336). *Extremely fine and a desirable piece.* 1

220 Triobols (4). Same date as last. Head of Hera l. *rev.* Eagle l. (2). Head r. *rev.* Eagle facing (2). Obols (3). Similar types; one with eagle's head in wreath. (Seltman, *T.C.O.*, Pl. XII, 10, 15, 17, 22, 27). *All fine.* 7

221* **Zeus Mint.** Gold half drachm. (*c.* 191 B.C.). Head of Zeus, bearded, r., coarse work, hair long. *rev.* Thunderbolt, on either side of which F A . The whole within wreath. 2.2 gr. (For comparison of style, see Seltman, *T.C.O.*, Pl. VIII, DJ and 25. *B.M.C.* Pl. XV, 4 and 5). *An important unpublished piece. Very fine only, but probably unique.* 1

222* **Islands off Elis; Cephalonia. Cranium.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 450 B.C.). KPA. Ram l. *rev.* KPA. Bow in incuse square. 2.9 gr. (*B.M.C.* 8). *Fine and rare.* 1

223* **Samé.** Obol. (*c.* 350 B.C.). Head of Apollo r. *rev.* ΣA. Hound l. 0.72 gr. (*B.M.C.* 8). *Of great rarity and extremely fine.* 1

224* **Zacynthus.** Stater. (*c.* 357-300 B.C.). Head of Apollo r. laureate. *rev.* IA. Tripod. ANAΞIII. 10.78 gr. (*B.M.C.* 37; Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 236, 22). *Almost very fine and of the greatest rarity. Fine style.* 1

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225* **Messenia. Messene.** Drachm. (*c.* 280-146 B.C.). Head of Zeus laur. r. *rev.* MEΣ. Tripod. Magistrate *Polykles*. All in wreath. (*B.M.C.* —). **Corone.** Hemidrachm (*c.* 220-182 B.C.). Head of Athena r. *rev.* KOP. Grapes in ivy-wreath. (*B.M.C.* 1). *The first extremely fine, the second very fine; both rare and illustrated on Plate X.* 2

226 **Argolis. Argos.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 350-228 B.C.). Half wolf l. *rev.* A. AP. Crescent. All in incuse square. Obols (2). Wolf's head r., and l. *rev.* Similar. Symbol club. (*B.M.C.* 60, 93, 94). *Very fine and extremely fine* (2). 3

227 A similar lot. (*B.M.C.* 64, 92, —). *Very fine.* 3

228 Obols (4) with various symbols. *Two extremely fine.* 4

229 **Cleonae.** Obol. (*c.* 450 B.C.). Head of young Herakles l. *rev.* K in incuse. (*B.M.C.* 1). **Epidaurus.** Triobol. (*c.* 300 B.C.). Head of Asklepios l. laureate. *rev.* Monogram EII in wreath. (*B.M.C.* etc. —). *Both very fine and rare.* 2

230 **Arcadia.** Triobols (2) and obol. (*c.* 450 B.C.). Zeus seated l. holding sceptre and eagle. *rev.* ARK. Head of goddess r. in incuse square. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 223, 10, 17 and 21 *var.*). *The last very fine.* 3

231 **Arcadian League.** Hemidrachm and obols (5). (After 280 B.C.). Head of Zeus l. *rev.* Pan seated on rock l.; eagle beside him. Obols. Head of Pan l. *rev.* Monogram APKA. Pan-pipes. *All very fine.* 6

232* **Alea.** Obol. (431-400 B.C.). Head of Artemis r. *rev.* A.\. Bow. 0.8 gr. (*B.M.C.* 1; Bab. *Tr.* Pl. 226,22). *Very fine and extremely rare.* 1

233* **Cleitor.** Obol. (*c.* 500-450 B.C.). Forepart of horse r. *rev.* Incuse irregularly divided. 0.9 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Bab. *Tr.* 225,18). *Extremely fine and exceptionally rare.* 1

234 Triobols (2). (*c.* 370-240 B.C.). Facing head of Helios radiate. *rev.* K.\H. Bull r. butting. Above, ivy-leaf. (*B.M.C.* 3 *var.*). *Both fine.* 2

235 **Psophis.** Diobol. (*c.* 500-471 B.C.). Stag running r. *rev.* Fish anglewise in incuse square. (*B.M.C.* 1). **Stymphalus.** Obol. (c. 430-370 B.C.). Head of young Heracles r. *rev.* Head and neck of bird r. (*B.M.C.* 2). *Both extremely rare and very fine.* 2

Lot

236 **CRETE. Cydonia.** Obols (3). (*c.* 400 B.C.). Head of Ariadne, or nymph, l. *rev.* K among three crescents; or bull's head facing among three crescents (2). (Svor. *Crete,* p. 103, 26 and p. 105, 43). *All fine and very rare.* 3

237* **Gortyna.** Drachm. (*c.* 420-400 B.C.). Female head (Europa) l. of unusual style. *rev.* Head and neck of Zeus-bull r. 5.52 gr. (Svor. *Crete,* p. 163, 49; Pl. 13, 21). *Extremely fine and of great rarity.* 1

238* Stater. (*c.* 400 B.C.). Europa seated r. in old willow tree. *rev.* Bull r. head turned back. 11.4 gr. (Svor. *Crete* —; but compare *obv.* Svor. Pl. 14, 3 and *rev. ibid.* Pl. 14, 8). *Very fine for the coin. And very rare.* 1

239* Drachm. (*c.* 200 B.C.). Head of Zeus r. Below A. *rev.* ΓΟΡΤΥ-ΝΙΩΝ. Warrior with shield and spear running to l. In field ●. 2.87 gr. (Svor. *Crete,* p. 176, 151). *Fine/very fine. Rare.* 1

240 **Itanus.** Obols (2). (*c.* 450-400 B.C.). Triton r. *rev.* Star. (Svor. *Crete,* p. 203, 12 and p. 202, 8). *Both very rare.* 2

241 Others (3). (*c.* 400-300 B.C.). Head of Athena r. (2) or l. *rev.* Star. (Svor. *Crete,* p. 205, 33, 39). *All fine.* 3

242* **Lyttos.** Drachm. (*c.* 400 B.C.). Eagle flying l. *rev.* ΛVT. Head of boar l. in dotted square. 5.1 gr. (Svor. *Crete* —. Variety of p. 234, 49). *Extremely fine and of great rarity.* 1

243* Hemiobol. (*c.* 400-300 B.C.). Thin fabric. Eagle striding r. *rev.* irregular stellar pattern. 0.55 gr. (Svor. *Crete,* —. But for fabric comp. Pl. 22, 3 to 8). *Apparently unpublished. Fine.* 1

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244* **AEGEAN ISLANDS. Siphnos.** Hemiobol. (*c.* 500-470 B.C.). Head of Apollo r. *rev.* ΣΙΦΙ. Eagle flying r. in incuse square. 0.32 gr. (*B.M.C.* 7). *A pleasing miniature of great rarity. Very fine.* 1

245* **PONTUS. Amisus.** Drachm. (*c.* 360-330 B.C.). Head of goddess wearing mural crown l. *rev.* Owl facing standing on shield. MI • P. 5.23 gr. (*B.M.C.* 6 ff. *var.*). *Extremely fine.* 1

246 Another. Two monograms in field. 5.6 gr. (*B.M.C.* —). *Very fine.* 1

247* **KINGDOM OF PONTUS. Mithradates VI the Great, Eupator.** Tetradrachm. (121-63 B.C.). His head diademed r. *rev.* His name and titles. Pegasus l. drinking. Star and crescent. One monogram. 16.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Extremely fine.* 1

248* **KINGDOM OF BOSPORUS. Rhescuporis III.** Electrum Stater. (A.D. 212-229). His bust r. *rev.* Head of Caracalla r; in front, star. Date ΗΦ. 7.62 gr. (*B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine.* 1

249* **PAPHLAGONIA. Amastris.** Stater. (*c.* 300-270 B.C.). Youthful head r. in decorated Phrygian cap. *rev.* ΑΜΑΣΤΡΙΕΩΝ. Aphrodite-Anaitis Nikephoros enthroned l. In field rose. 9.50 gr. (*B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine.* 1

250* **Cromna.** Drachm. (*c.* 350-300 B.C.). Head of Zeus l. *rev.* ΚΡΩΜΝΑ. Head of City goddess l. In front N (reversed). 3.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Rare and extremely fine.* 1

251* **Sinope.** Drachm. (*c.* 333-306 B.C.). Head of goddess l., in front aplustre. *rev.* ΣΙΝΩ. Sea-eagle on dolphin l. 6.0 gr. (*B.M.C.* 19). *Obv. extremely fine. Rev. very fine.* 1

252 Diobol and Hemidrachm. Same date. Head of goddess facing, or to l. in mural crown. *rev.* Eagle open-winged facing; and prow to l. (*B.M.C.* 23 and 26). *Both very fine.* 2

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253* **BITHYNIA. Calchedon.** Drachm (*c.* 400-350 B.C.). KA\X. Bull l. on ear of corn. Countermark of Chersonnesus. *rev.* Mill-sail incuse. 5.32 gr. (*B.M.C.* 5). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

254 **Cius.** Hemidrachms (2). (*c.* 321-300 B.C.). Head of Apollo r. *rev.* Prow. Different magistrates. (*B.M.C.* 6 and 10). *Both fine.* 2

255* **KINGDOM OF BITHYNIA. Prusias I.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 228-180 B.C.). Portrait with whisker r. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΡΟΥΣΙΟΥ. Zeus standing l. with wreath and sceptre. Thunderbolt. Monograms. 16.5 gr. (*B.M.C.* 2 *var.*). *Extremely fine portrait piece. Rare; unevenly toned on obverse, but very attractive.* 1

256* **Nicomedes II.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 149-95 B.C.). Portrait r. *rev.* Name and titles. Zeus as last. Monogram. Date. 16.45 gr. (*B.M.C.* 8 *var.*). *Extremely fine portrait. Rev. FDC.* 1

257 **Nicomedes III.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 95-74 B.C.). Types and legend as last. 16.65 gr. (*B.M.C.* 5). *Extremely fine.* 1

258 **MYSIA. Parium.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 400-300 B.C.). ΠΑ/ΡΙ. Bull l. looking back. *rev.* Gorgoneion. (*B.M.C.* 414); and **Pergamum.** Cistophorus (*c.* 200-133 B.C.). Cista Mystica within wreath. *rev.* Two serpents coiled round bow-case. (*B.M.C.* 123 ff.). *Both extremely fine.* 2

259* **Proconnesus.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 350-330 B.C.). Head of Aphrodite r. *rev.* ΠΡΟ/ΚΟΝ. Oinochoe. 2.5 gr. (*B.M.C.* 3). *Very fine and very rare.* 1

260 **KINGDOM OF PERGAMUM. Eumenes II.** Tetradrachm. (197-159 B.C.). Portrait of Philetaerus r. *rev.* Athena seated l. crowning his name. 16.85 gr. (*B.M.C.* 42). *Just very fine.* 1

261 **TROAS. Abydos.** Drachm. (*c.* 320-300 B.C.). Head of Apollo l. *rev.* ΑΒΥ. Eagle l.; caduceus. Magistrate *Noumenios.* (*B.M.C.* 4). **Cebren.** Obol and hemiobol. (*c.* 500-480 B.C.). Ram's head r. *rev.* Rough incuse. (*B.M.C.* 5 and 7) *Two last extremely fine and rare denominations.* 3

262* **AEOLIS. Cyme.** Tetradrachm. (*after* 190 B.C.). Head of Amazon Cyme r. *rev.* ΚΥΜΑΙΩΝ. Horse r.; below, vase. *Metrophanes.* All in wreath. 16.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* 74). *Almost extremely fine.* 1

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263* Another similar. Magistrate *Olympios*. 16.4 gr. (*B.M.C.* 80). *Very fine.* 1

264* **LESBOS.** Electrum Hecte. (*c.* 480-400 B.C.). Head of lion r. *rev.* Calf's head r. in intaglio. 2.5 gr. (*B.M.C.* 19). *Extremely fine.* 1

265* Another; same date and types. 2.54 gr. (*B.M.C.* 19). *Extremely fine.* 1

266* Another. (*c.* 440-350 B.C.). Forepart of boar r. *rev.* Lion's head r. in linear and incuse square. 2.47 gr. (*B.M.C.* 31). *Very fine and rare.* 1

267* Another. Same date. Head of Apollo r. *rev.* Head of Artemis r. in linear square. 2.55 gr. (*B.M.C.* 92). *Extremely fine.* 1

268 **Methymna.** Drachm. (*c.* 500-450 B.C.). Hoplite kneeling l. *rev.* Horseman on half-horse r. (*B.M.C.* 7). **IONIA. Clazomenae.** Obols (3). (*c.* 500-480 B.C.). Forepart of winged boar r. *rev.* quartered incuse square. (*B.M.C.* 11). *All very fine, the first rare type.* 4

269* **IONIA. Clazomenae.** Stater. (*c.* 500-480 B.C.). Forepart of winged boar r. *rev.* Quartered incuse square. 7.02 gr. (*B.M.C.* 3). *Very fine and rare.* 1

270 As last. Drachm and Obol. Same date and types. (*B.M.C.* 8 and 11). *Very fine and extremely fine.* 2

271* Hemidrachm. (*c.* 387-350 B.C.). Head of Apollo laureate facing. *rev.* K\A. Swan l. Magistrate *Mandronax*. 1.98 gr. (*B.M.C.* 26). *Extremely fine and attractive piece, high relief.* 1

272 **Colophon.** Diobol. (4th cent. B.C.). Head of Apollo l. *rev.* KO\O. Lyre. Magistrate *Phryson*. (*B.M.C.* 10 and 11 *var.*). **Ephesus.** Hemidrachm. (*c.* 450-415 B.C.). Bee. *rev.* Incuse square quartered, name of magistrate on band. (*B.M.C.* 21 f. *var.*). *Both rare.* 2

273* **Ephesus.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 387-295 B.C.). EΦ. Bee. *rev.* Half-stag kneeling r. looks back at palm-tree. Magistrate *Hegesianax*. 15.12 gr. (*B.M.C.* —. Comp. nos. 30 ff.). *Very fine for the piece.* 1

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274 Another. Similar. Magistrate *Glaukon*. 15.02 gr. (*B.M.C.* —). *Fine.* 1

275* Cistophorus. (*c.* 133-67 B.C.). Cista Mystica in wreath. *rev.* ΕΦΕ, ΞΕ. Two serpents coiled round bow-case. Cornua-copiae. Torch. 12.22 gr. (*B.M.C.* 170). *Extremely fine.* 1

276 **Erythrae.** Drachm. (*c.* 387-300 B.C.). Head of Heracles r. *rev.* EPY. Club. Bow in case. Magistrate ABPΩN. (*B.M.C.* 43). **Miletus.** Diobols (3). (*c.* 478-390 B.C.). Forepart of lion r., head turned back l. *rev.* Star ornament in incuse square. (*B.M.C.* 14. ff.). *All extremely fine.* 4

277 A similar lot. **Erythrae,** with magistrate *Diopeithes* and owl l. (*B.M.C.* 51). **Miletus** (4). As last piece in previous lot. *All very fine.* 5

278 **Miletus.** Similar obols (5). Two as before. Two with heads r. One barbarous imitation. *All very fine.* 5

279* **Miletus** (or other early Ionian). Electrum sixth (?). (7th cent. B.C.). Amorphous type. *rev.* Rough incuse square. 1.45 gr. (*B.M.C.* 69). *Very fine and of great rarity.* 1

280* **Miletus.** Drachm. (*c.* 250-190 B.C.). Head of Apollo l. laur. *rev.* Lion l. looking back at star; to r., MI. Magistrate *Basileides.* 6.38 gr. (*B.M.C.* —, comp. 93 and 103). *Very fine.* 1

281* **Phocaea.** Electrum Hecte. (fourth cent. B.C.). Head of Athena in Corinthian helmet on which serpent l. *rev.* Quartered incuse square. 2.55 gr. (*B.M.C.* 47). *Very fine.* 1

282* Another. Same date and type, but different die. 2.54 gr. (*B.M.C.* 47). *Very fine.* 1

283* **Smyrna.** Tetradrachm. (2nd cent. B.C.). Head of Cybele turreted r. *rev.* IMYPNAIΩN. Monogram. All in wreath. 16.25 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Almost extremely fine and very rare.* 1

284* Another. *rev.* Name. Lion r. Magistrate Artemon. All in wreath. 16.0 gr. (*B.M.C.* —, comp. nos. 5 and 6). *Very fine and very rare.* 1

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285* **Teos.** Stater. (*c.* 544-500 B.C.). Griffin seated r. with foreleg raised. *rev.* Quartered incuse square. 11.32 gr. (*B.M.C.* 3). *Very fine and a very rare coin.* 1

286* **Chios.** Stater. (*c.* 560-500 B.C.). Sphinx with curved wing and cap seated l. *rev.* Quartered incuse square. 7.72 gr. (Comp. *B.M.C.* 2). *Almost extremely fine.* 1

287* Another. (*c.* 478-412 B.C.). Sphinx l. Amphora in front; grapes over it. *rev.* As last. 7.76 gr. (*B.M.C.* 7). *Very fine.* 1

288 Drachm and tetrobol. Same date and as last. (*B.M.C.* 15 and 17). *Both fine.* 2

289* **Samos.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 494-439 B.C.). Lion's scalp facing. *rev.* ΣA. Head and neck of bull r. On the l. anchor with long shaft. 12.45 gr. (*B.M.C.* —. Bab. *Tr.* —). *Very fine and apparently an unpublished variety.* 1

290* Drachm. Same date. Forepart of winged boar l. Below a bud. *rev.* facing lion's scalp in dotted and incuse square. 3.54 gr. (*B.M.C.* —, *comp.* 51; Bab. *Tr.*, Pl. 150. 6). *Extremely fine.* 1

291* Tetradrachm. (*c.* 439-394 B.C.). Facing lion's scalp. *rev.* ΣA. Forepart of bull r. Olive-twig behind; Δ in front. All in incuse square. 12.76 gr. (*B.M.C.* 92 *var.*). *Very fine.* 1

292* Another. (*c.* 394-365 B.C.). Types as last. *rev.* Magistrate *Hegesianax*. 13.64 gr. (*B.M.C.* 133). *Very fine.* 1

293 Diobol. Same date. Lion's scalp. *rev.* Prow r.; below ΣA. (*B.M.C.* 140). Didrachm (*c.* 322-205 B.C.). Lion's scalp. *rev.* Forepart of bull r.; ΣA and palmette. Magistrate, *Battos*. (*B.M.C.* 161, *var.*). *Both fine.* 2

294* Trihemidrachm. (*c.* 205-129 B.C.). Types as before. *rev.* Under bull, trident and vase; ΣAMIΩN above. 4.46 gr. (*B.M.C.* 174 *var.*). *Extremely fine.* 1

295 Drachm. Types as last. (*B.M.C.* 180 *var.*).; ear of corn below. Hemidrachm. Same date. Head of Hera l. *rev.* Prow, etc. (*B.M.C.* 184). *Both extremely fine.* 2

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296* **CARIA. Cnidus.** Drachm. (*c.* 600-550 B.C.). Head of lion r. *rev.* Head of Aphrodite r. in incuse square. 6.2 gr. (*B.M.C.* 2). *Very fine for the coin and extremely rare. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

297* Diobol. Same date and types. 1.75 gr. (*B.M.C.* 9). *Almost extremely fine and very pleasing. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

298* Another. Similar. 1.67 gr. (*B.M.C.* 9). *Very fine. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

299* Drachm (*c.* 500-450 B.C.). Forepart of lion r. *rev.* Head of Aphrodite r. in deep incuse square. 6.18 gr. (*B.M.C.* 12). *Extremely fine, very archaic style. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

300 Diobol. (*c.* 390-300 B.C.). Head of Aphrodite r. *rev.* Head and neck of bull r. Magistrate: *Agesikles.* (*B.M.C.* —, comp. *B.M.C.* 39). Hemidrachm. (*c.* 300-190 B.C.). Head of Artemis r. *rev.* Tripod. Magistrate *Philokles* (*B.M.C.* —, comp. *B.M.C.* 51). *Both extremely fine.* 2

301* Didrachm. (*c.* 190-167 B.C.). Head of Helios facing. *rev.* Forepart of lion r. Magistrate *Lysippos.* Behind, star. 5.27 gr. (*B.M.C.* —, comp. *B.M.C.* 74). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

302 **SATRAPS OF CARIA. Hidrieus.** Drachm. (351-344 B.C.). Head of Apollo facing. *rev.* ΙΔΡΙΕΩΣ. Zeus Stratios r. 3.64 gr. (*B.M.C.* 5). *Very fine and rare.* 1

303* **Pixodarus.** Didrachm. (340-334 B.C.). Types as last. *rev.* ΠΙΞΩΔΑΡΟ. 6.83 gr. (*B.M.C.* 6). *Extremely fine and good style, thus rare.* 1

304 **CARIAN ISLANDS. Calymna.** Drachm. (*c.* 300-190 B.C.). Head of Ares helmeted r. *rev.* ΚΑΛΥΜΝΙΟΝ. Lyre. 3.07 gr. (*B.M.C.* 10). *Very fine.* 1

305 **COS.** Hemidrachm and drachm. (*c.* 300-166 B.C.). Both with head of Heracles. *rev.* Crab; below club. ΚΩΙΟΝ. (*B.M.C.* 67 and 79 [?]). *Fine.* 2

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306* **RHODES. Camirus.** Stater. (*c.* 600-500 B.C.). Large fig-leaf. *rev.* Incuse divided into two rectangles. 11.96 gr. (*B.M.C.* 3). *Extremely fine.* 1

307* **Rhodes.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 400-333 B.C.). Facing head of Helios hair loose. *rev.* PO∆ION. Rose with bud l. In inner field l., ∆. To r. dolphin downwards. 14.8 gr. (*B.M.C.* 15). *Extremely fine and pleasing for the coin.* 1

308 Another. Similar. Symbol obscure. 15.05 gr. (*B.M.C.* 22, ?). *Fine.* 1

309* Another (*c.* 304-166 B.C.). Facing head of Helios radiate. *rev.* PO∆ION. Rose with bud r. Prow. Magistrate AMEINIAΣ. 13.55 gr. (*B.M.C.* 120). *Extremely fine and very well struck.* 1

310 Didrachm. Same date. As last. Magistrate *Timotheos*. On l. terminal figure. PO below. 6.6 gr. (*B.M.C.* 150). *Fine.* 1

311* Another. As last. Magistrate *Erasikles*. Symbol helmet; below rose. P O . 6.48 gr. (*B.M.C.* 140). *Very fine.* 1

312 Drachm. (*c.* 304-166 B.C.). Head facing unradiate. *rev.* As before. Magistrate *Pasion*. Symbol, thunderbolt. (*B.M.C.* —). Another. (166-88 B.C.). Head radiate to r. *rev.* As before. Magistrate *Ainetor*. PO. Symbol, anchor. (*B.M.C.* —). *Both extremely fine.* 2

313 Another. Magistrate *Thrasymeines*. Symbol, rising sun. (*B.M.C.* 265). Hemidrachm. Facing radiate head. *rev.* As above. Magistrate MHNO∆ΩPO[Σ]. Symbol, star on r. (*B.M.C.* 307). And trihemiobol. (333-304 B.C.). Profile head r. *rev.* P O . Two rosebuds. (*B.M.C.* 67). *All very fine, the last rare.* 3

314* Drachm. (*c.* 88-43 B.C.). Facing radiate head. *rev.* PO. Full-blown rose facing. Magistrate *Aineas*. Symbol, ear of corn. 4.18 gr. (*B.M.C.* —). *Extremely fine.* 1

315* **KINGDOM OF LYDIA. King Alyattes (?).** Electrum Third. (Seventh cent. B.C.). Head of lion r., wart at root of nose. *rev.* Two square incuse sinkings. 4.72 gr. (*B.M.C.* 2 ff. Seltman, *Greek Coins*, Pl. I, 12). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

316* Another, similar. 4.71 gr. *Almost extremely fine.* 1

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317* Similar. An Electrum Twelfth. 1.18 gr. *Very fine and rare.* 1

318* Another. 1.16 gr. *Fine.* 1

319* **LYCIA.** Stater. (*c.* 520-480 B.C.). Forepart of boar l. *rev.* Incuse square with two intersecting bars. 9.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* 10). *Almost extremely fine.* 1

320* **Lycia or Caria; uncertain (Caunus (?).** Stater. (*c.* 550 B.C.). Forepart of lion l. Circle on shoulder. *rev.* Two incuse rectangles. 10.82 gr. *Fine. Not so well centred. Very rare type.* 1

321 **Lycia. Cragus.** Drachm. (*c.* 168-43 B.C.). Head of Apollo laur. r. *rev.* KP. Lyre (*B.M.C.* 1); and **PAMPHYLIA. Aspendus.** Stater. (4th cent. B.C.). Two wrestlers. ΛΦ. *rev.* Slinger r. and triskeles in dotted square; to l., legend. (*B.M.C.* 35). *Both very fine.* 2

322 Another, as last, with ΑΦ. 10.6 gr. (*B.M.C.* 31). *Very fine.* 1

323* **Side.** Tetradrachm. (190-36 B.C.). Head of Athena r. in crested helmet. *rev.* Nike flying l. holding wreath. Pomegranate. ΧΡΥ. 16.5 gr. (*B.M.C.* 51). *Extremely fine.* 1

324 Another. As last; with ΚΛΕΥΧ. 15.65 gr. (*B.M.C.* 46). *Fine.* 1

325* **CILICIA. Celenderis.** Stater. (*c.* 450-400 B.C.). Naked rider l. sliding off his horse. Below, ΥΙΙ. *rev.* ΚΕΛ. Goat kneeling l. looking back. In exergue, Λ. 10.62 gr. (*B.M.C.* 5 etc. *var.*). *Very fine and rare.* 1

326 Obols (2). (*c.* 350-300 B.C.). Forepart of Pegasus r. *rev.* ΚΕΛ. Goat as last. (*B.M.C.* 30, 31); and an obol of **Selge.** Head of gorgon facing. *rev.* Helmeted head of Athena r. (*B.M.C.* 10). *All very fine.* 3

327* **Mallus.** Stater. (*c.* 385-333 B.C.). King of Persia running r. holding lance and bow. In field, corn-grain. *rev.* ΜΑΛ. Heracles naked, to r., strangling lion. The group stands on capital of a column. In field l., club. 9.23 gr. (*B.M.C.* 24). *Of great rarity and very fine for the coin.* 1

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328* **Tarsus. Datames.** Stater. (378-372 B.C.). Female head, resembling Arethusa, facing. *rev.* Aramaic legend. Head of bearded Greek Commander helmeted r. 10.75 gr. (*B.M.C.* 29). *Slight cut. Extremely fine.* 1

329 Another. Same date and types. 10.27 gr. *Very fine.* 1

330* Stater. Same date. Baaltars seated r. within a ring of battlements, holding bunch of grapes and large ear of corn; symbols. *rev.* Satrap in Persian garb seated r. examining arrow. 9.94 gr. (*B.M.C.* 34). *rev. Very fine.* 1

331* Another as last, but the god's head is facing. *rev.* Two figures, one on l. naked, the other draped, facing one another. Incense-stand between them. Dotted square. 10.02 gr. (*B.M.C.* 35). *Very fine and rare.* 1

332* **Tarsus. Mazaeus.** Stater. (361-333 B.C.). Baaltars as before but to l., holding eagle; in field, Phoenician letters. *rev.* Lion l. attacking bull. 10.70 gr. (*B.M.C.* 51). *Very fine.* 1

333* **KINGS OF CAPPADOCIA. Ariarathes IV.** Drachm. (220-163 B.C.). Portrait r. diademed. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΡΙΑΡΑΘΟΥ ΕΥΣΕΒΟΥΣ. Athena Nikephoros standing l. In field l., monogram. Below, ΜΙ. 4.17 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Theodore Reinach, *Trois Royaumes*, —). *This coin appears to be unpublished, having a portrait of unusual excellence. Extremely fine. Struck on large flan.* 1

334 Another of the usual style. (*B.M.C.* 17). Others of Ariarathes VII and X with similar types. (*B.M.C.* 6 and 2). 3

335 Others (2) of Ariobarzanes III with same types. (*B.M.C.* 2 and 3). 2

336* **SYRIA. SELEUCID KINGS. Seleucus I.** Tetradrachm. (312-280 B.C.). Head of Heracles r. like on coins of Alexander the Great. *rev.* ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ. Zeus Nikephoros enthroned l. Monogram. • E. Mint of Antioch. 16.88 gr. (*B.M.C.* —; Newell, *W.S.M.* 909). *Very fine.* 1

337* **Antiochus I.** Tetradrachm. (280-261 B.C.). His portrait r. diademed. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ. Apollo with bow and arrow seated l. on omphalos. Two monograms. Mint of Seleucia. 16.87 gr. (*B.M.C.* 14; Newell, *E.S.M.* 177). *Extremely fine. Sharp portrait.* 1

Lot

338* **Seleucus II.** Tetradrachm. (246-226 B.C.). Portrait r. diad. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΣΕΛΕΥΚΟΥ. Apollo standing l. leaning on tripod. Two monograms. Mint uncertain, in Asia Minor. 17.10 gr. (*B.M.C.* 11 *var.*; Newell, *W.S.M.*, 1651 *var.*). *Very fine and very rare.* 1

339* **Antiochus III the Great.** Tetradrachm. (222-187 B.C.). Portrait r. diad. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ. Apollo with bow and arrow seated l. on omphalos. Two monograms. Mint of Antioch. 16.98 gr. (*B.M.C.* 5; Newell, *W.S.M.* 1049). *Extremely fine.* 1

340* **Antiochus IV "god manifest".** Tetradrachm. (175-164 B.C.). Portrait r. diademed. Fillet border. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΑΝΤΙΟΧΟΥ ΘΕΟΥ ΕΠΙΦΑΝΟΥΣ ΝΙΚΗΦΟΡΟΥ. Zeus Nikephoros seated l. Monogram ΗΠ. Mint of Antioch. 16.64 gr. (*B.M.C.* —). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

341 **Demetrius I.** Tetradrachm. (162-150 B.C.). Portrait r. diad. *rev.* Name. Tyche holding cornucopiae seated l. Mint of Antioch. 15.7 gr. (*B.M.C.* 23). *Fine.* 1

342 Drachm. Head as before. *rev.* Name and titles. Cornucopiae. Two monograms and date ΞΡ. Mint of Antioch. 4.01 gr. (*B.M.C.* 39). *Extremely fine.* 1

343 **Alexander Bala.** Hemidrachm. (152-144 B.C.). Portrait r. radiate. *rev.* Name; titles. Apollo standing l. (*B.M.C.* 28). And **Antiochus VI.** Drachm. (145-142 B.C.). Similar head. *rev.* Name; titles; Apollo seated l. X, OP and ΣΤΑ. (*B.M.C.* 12 *var.*). Both mint of Antioch. *Both extremely fine, the second very rare.* 2

344* **Antiochus VII.** Tetradrachm. (138-129 B.C.). Portrait r. *rev.* Name. Eagle l., palm over shoulder. ΣΙΔΩ. Aplustre. Date ΕΟΡ (= 175) and monogram. Mint of Sidon. 13.12 gr. (*B.M.C.* 1 *var.*). *Very fine.* 1

345* **Demetrius II.** Tetradrachm. (130-125 B.C.). Types as last. *rev.* In field monogram of Tyre on club. Date ΔΙΙΡ (= 180) and letters. Mint of Tyre. 14.12 gr. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Very fine.* 1

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346* **Antiochus VIII.** Tetradrachm. (121-96 B.C.). Portrait r. diademed. *rev.* Name and titles. Altar of Sandan surmounted by cone, on which eagle, carved with relief of Sandan r. on the back of a horned lion. Two monograms to l. Mint of Tarsus. 16.4 gr. (*B.M.C.* 23 *var.*). *Almost extremely fine and a rare coin.* 1

347* **Antiochus IX.** Tetradrachm. (116-95 B.C.). Portrait r. with side-whisker. *rev.* As last. Two monograms. Mint of Tarsus 16.4 gr. (*B.M.C.* p. 112, 15a *var.*). *Extremely fine and of great rarity.* 1

348 **Seleucus VI.** Tetradrachm. (96-95 B.C.). Portrait r. diad. *rev.* Zeus Nikephoros, etc. Diobol. Same head. *rev.* Two cornuacopiae, etc. (*B.M.C.* 1 and 5). 2

349 **Antiochus XI.** Tetradrachm. (92 B.C.). Portrait r. *rev.* Zeus enthroned l. (*B.M.C.* 2); and **Philippus.** Tetradrachm. (92-82 B.C.). Same types. (*B.M.C.* 4). *Both very fine.* 2

350* **PHOENICIA. Aradus.** Stater. (Early 4th cent. B.C.). Head of Malkarth r. *rev.* Phoenician letters over galley. Waves below. 8.5 gr. (*B.M.C.* 24). *Extremely fine. Illustrated on Plate XI.* 1

351 Obols (2). Types as last. (*B.M.C.* 45). *Both extremely fine.* 2

352 Drachm (*c.* 174-110 B.C.). Bee seen from above. Two monograms. *rev.* ΑΡΑΔΙΩΝ. Star r.; palm-tree. 3.75 gr. Date 171 B.C. (*B.M.C.* 148). *Very fine.* 1

353* Tetradrachm. (*c.* 137-46 B.C.). Bust of Tyche r. with mural crown. *rev.* ΑΡΑΔΙΩΝ. Nike l. holding aplustre and palm, letters and date, all in wreath. Date ΗΜΡ (= 112 B.C.). 15.19 gr. (*B.M.C.* 202 *var.*). *Extremely fine.* 1

354* **Tripolis.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 142-81 B.C.). Busts of the Dioscuri r. jugate, stars above. *rev.* ΤΡΙΠΟΛΙΤΩΝ ΤΗΣ ΙΕΡΑΣ ΚΑΙ ΑΥΤΟΝΟΜΟΥ. Tyche standing l.; all in wreath. Η Ι to l. and ΗΙ below. Date = 95 B.C. 15.10 gr. (*B.M.C.* 5). *Extremely fine and rare. Most attractive.* 1

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355 **KINGS OF PARTHIA. Phraates II.** Drachm and obol. (138-128 B.C.). Portrait l. *rev.* Name and titles. Arsaces seated on omphalos r. (*B.M.C.* 15 and 21). **Mithradates II.** Drachm. (123-88 B.C.). Similar types. (*B.M.C.* 18). *All very fine, the obol struck on short flan.* 3

356* **Mithradates II.** Tetradrachm. (123-88 B.C.). Types as on last coin. On *rev.*, palm to r. 15.1 gr. (*B.M.C.* 3). *Extremely fine, and very rare.* 1

357 Drachm. Same types. The king with long beard and wearing helmet. 3.92 gr. (*B.M.C.* 106). *Extremely fine.* 1

358* **Artabanus II.** Tetradrachm. (88-77 B.C.). Cuir. bust of King l., short beard, curly hair formally arranged in ridges and bound with broad diadem, end falling down neck. *rev.* Male divinity (Arsaces ?) seated r. on throne holding bow. Name and titles. Monogram OK above. 15.15 gr. (*B.M.C.* Pl. VIII, 11; Bab. *Tr.*, Part III, Tome 1, Pl. VIII, 1). *Extremely fine and rare, attractive portrait.* 1

359* **Sinatruces.** Tetradrachm. (77-70 B.C.). Bearded bust diademed and cuir. l., wearing tiara (or helmet) with neckpiece, adorned with star. *rev.* Name and titles. Type as above; in field r., monog. A. 16.1 gr. (*B.M.C.* — quoting Berlin Museum specimen hitherto unique —, Pl. X, 1; Bab. *Tr.*, Pl. VIII, 15; *Petrowicz Collection*, lot 2186). *Very fine, but an excessively rare coin.* 1

360* **Orodes I.** Tetradrachm. (57-38 B.C.). Bust of King r. *rev.* Name and titles. King enthroned r. receiving palm-branch from Tyche standing to l. 13.75 gr. (*B.M.C.* 32). *Extremely fine.* 1

361* **Gotarzes.** Tetradrachm. (A.D. 40-51). Bust of King r. *rev.* Name and titles. As last, but Tyche gives a wreath. In field, HNT. (=A.D. 46/7. 14.1 gr. (*B.M.C.* 16). *Very fine.* 1

362 Drachms (2) of **Mithradates IV** (A.D. 130-147) and of **Artavasdes** (A.D. 227) with barbarised types of earlier coins. (*B.M.C.* p. 217, 1 and p. 251, 2). *All extremely fine.* 3

363 **BABYLON.** A "lion-drachm". (*c.* 306-281 B.C.). Baal seated l. *rev.* Lion l. tail up, head reverted. Monogram AY. (Newell, *E.S.M.* —, but compare nos. 280, 281). A worn **Achaemenid** siglos. An obol of **Eucratides of Bactria.** Helmeted head r. *rev.* Caps of Dioscuri. *The last very fine.* 3

Lot

364* **BACTRIA. Eucratides.** (*c.* 180-150 B.C.). Tetradrachm. Bust r. diad. and dr. wearing crested helmet adorned with plume. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΜΕΓΑΛΟΥ ΕΥΚΡΑΤΙΔΟΥ. The Dioscuri holding palms and spears galloping to r.; below horses, monogram WA. 16.55 gr. (*B.M.C.* 7). *Extremely fine condition for the coin, very clear portrait. Rare.* 1

365* Tetradrachm. Bust r. diad. and draped, head bare. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ / ΕΥΚΡΑΤΙΔΟΥ . Apollo naked standing facing, head l., holding arrow and bow. At feet, l., monogram HA. 16.25 gr. (*B.M.C.* 13; Pl. V, 8). *Fine, but very rare.* 1

366 **SASSANIAN KINGS.** (3rd. cent. A.D. and later). Thin silver pieces of Chosroes I, Ormuzd IV, and others. *Fine to extremely fine.* 6

367* **PTOLEMIES, KINGS OF EGYPT. Ptolemy I.** Gold triobol. (323-285 B.C.). Portrait of the king r. Aegis round his neck. *rev.* ΒΑΣΙΛΕΩΣ ΠΤΟΛΕΜΑΙΟΥ. Eagle l. on thunderbolt; to l., XA. 1.80 gr. (*B.M.C.* 53). *Extremely fine and brilliant.* 1

368* Tetradrachm. Head of Alexander in elephant-skin r. *rev.* ΑΛΕΞΑΝΔΡΟΥ. Athena Promachos r. Eagle on thunderbolt. Helmet to r. and ΔΙ. 15.75 gr. (*B.M.C.* 26). *Extremely fine.* 1

369 Ptolemy I or II. Tetradrachm. Royal portrait and eagle on thunderbolt. PA in field . 14.25 gr. (*B.M.C.* 84). *Extremely fine.* 1

370* **Arsinoe II.** Dekadrachm. (after 270 B.C.). Her portrait r. with veil, diadem and top of sceptre above head. Behind HH. *rev.* ΑΡΣΙΝΟΗΣ ΦΙΛΑΔΕΛΦΟΥ. Two cornuacopiae bound with fillet, and bunches of grapes. 34.48 gr. (*B.M.C.* 22). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

371* **Ptolemy X or XI.** Tetradrachm. (*c.* 116-80 B.C.). Usual types. Provincial work. Also **CYRENE.** Didrachm. (308-277 B.C.). Head of Carneius r. *rev.* KY-PA. Silphium plant. Star and monogram. (*B.M.C.* 241). *Very fine. Both illustrated.* 2

372 **CYRENAICA. Cyrene.** Gold obol. (308-277 B.C.). Head of Ammon r. *rev.* Thunderbolt. Two stars. 0.8 gr. (*B.M.C.* 218). *Extremely fine. Rough workmanship.* 1

LOT

ROMAN GOLD COINS

THE EMPIRE

373* **AUGUSTUS.** (27 B.C.-14 A.D.). Quinarius. B.C. 12-11, mint of Lugdunm. Bare head of Augustus r.; AVGVSTVS - - DIVI . P . *rev.* Victory seated r. on globe; to r., IMP . XII . C. 151; M.S. 333; BMC. p. 84, *. *Rare. Very fine.* 1

374* —— Aureus. Asia Minor issue around 26-20 B.C. Bare head of Augustus r. within continuous circle. *rev.* in ex., CAESAR . DIVI . F . Victory holding long palm in fast biga to r. C. 67; M.S. 29; BMC. 592. *A very rare style, extremely fine.* 1

375* —— Aureus. Imperial coinage of Lugdunum, B.C. 2-A.D. 14. CAESAR AVGVSTVS - DIVI F PATER PATRIAE . laureate head r. *rev.* CL CAESARES (in ex.), AVGVSTI F COS DESIG . . . Gaius and Lucius standing facing, each holding spear and shield; in field above, simpulum l. and lituus r. C. 42; M.S. 350; BMC. 513 ff. *Extremely fine.* 1

376* **TIBERIUS.** (14-37 A.D.). Aureus, struck at Lugdunum. TI CAESAR DIVI - AVG F AVGVSTVS; laureate head of Tiberius r. *rev.* PONTIF - MAXIM; Livia (or PAX Augusta) seated r. holding branch and sceptre; footstool. C. 15; M.S. 3; BMC. Pl. 23, 2. *Slight gash in field of reverse, otherwise extremely fine.* 1

377* —— Aureus. Similar to preceding. *Almost extremely fine.* 1

378* **TIBERIUS and AUGUSTUS.** Aureus, struck under Tiberius, at Lugdunum. Same obverse type and legend. *rev.* DIVOS AV [GVST] - DIVI F; laureate head of Augustus r.; above, star. C. (Aug. and Tib.) 3; M.S. 1; BMC. p. 124, 29. *Almost extremely fine, and scarce.* 1

379* **CLAUDIUS.** (41-54 A.D.). Aureus. Mint of Rome. A.D. 43-44. TI CLAVD . CAESAR . AVG . P . M . TR . P . III . Head of the Emperor r. laur. *rev.* PACI - AVGVSTAE . Nemesis or Pax Romana, winged and draped, advancing r., holding caduceus and pulling out fold of robe; at her feet, serpent erect r. C. 52; M.S. 27; BMC. — date missing. *Fine portrait. An extremely fine specimen.* 1

LOT

380* **ANTONIA** (*wife of Nero Claudius Drusus, and mother of Germanicus and Claudius*). Aureus, commemorative issue under Claudius. ANTONIA - AVGVSTA; bust r. crowned with corn-ears, hair falling in long queue down neck. *rev.* CONSTANTIAE AVGVSTI; Antonia, as Constancy, standing front, holding long torch and cornucopiae. C.1; M.S. 80 p. 131; BMC. 109 p. 180. *Very fine, a good portrait. Rare.* 1

381* —— Aureus: similar obverse, but bust fully draped. *rev.* SACERDOS - DIVI - AVGVSTI; two vertical lighted torches with garlands, on ground line. C. 4; M.S. 81 p. 132; BMC. 112 p. 180. *Very fine with attractive portrait. Very rare.* 1

382* **CLAUDIUS and NERO.** Aureus. Rome. 51-54 A.D. TI CLAVD CAESAR AVG GERM PM TRIB POT PP. Head of Claudius laur. r. *rev.* NERO CLAVD CAES DRVSVS GERM PRINC IVVENT. Bust of young Nero dr., head bare, l. C. 4 (head r. ?); M.S. 93 p. 135; BMC 79 p. 175. *Very fine and rare.* 1

383* **NERO** (54-68 A.D.). Aureus of A.D. 63-68, struck in Rome. NERO CAESAR - AVGVSTVS; laureate head r., middle-aged features. *rev.* IVPPITER - CVSTOS. Jupiter seated l. on throne, holding long sceptre and thunderbolt. C. 118; M.S. 45; BMC. 67 p. 209. *Extremely fine piece.* 1

384* **VESPASIAN** (69-79 A.D.). Aureus of A.D. 69-71, mint of Rome. IMP CAESAR VESPASIANVS AVG . Head laureate r. *rev.* COS ITER - TR POT. Pax seated l. on low chair, holding caduceus and olive-branch. Not given in Cohen; M.S. 10; BMC. 25 p. 4. *But for weak striking in one place, almost fleur-de-coin. Attractive "Bosco Reale" tone.* 1

385* **HADRIAN** (117-138 A.D.). Aureus. Rome. IMP CAESAR TRAIA — N HADRIANVS AVG. Bust laur. dr. and cuir. r. *rev.* PM TRP COS III. Hadrian standing to r. receives from Jupiter who faces him to l. a globe; between them, eagle front; Jupiter holds thunderbolt. C. 1164; M.S. 109; BMC. 242 p. 269. *Almost extremely fine, a rare type.* 1

386* **SABINA** (*wife of Hadrian, died* 137 *A.D.*). Aureus, struck at Rome. SABINA - AVGVSTA. Bust draped, head diademed r., hair rising into crest above diadem and falling in queue down neck. *rev.* VESTA. Vesta seated l. on high-backed throne, holding palladium and long sceptre. C. 78; M.S. 397 (a); BMC. 951 p. 360. *A superb specimen, very rare.* 1

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387* —— Aureus. Rome. SABINA - AVGVSTA - HADRIANI AVG PP. Bust draped, head diademed r., hair coiled and piled on back of head behind tiara. *rev.* as above, but no legend. C. 84; M.S. 413 (a); BMC. 922 p. 357. *Almost extremely fine, and rare.* 1

388* **ANTONINUS PIUS** (138-161 A.D.). Aureus of Rome. A.D. 148-149. ANTONINVS - AVG PIVS PP TRP XII. Head bare r. *rev.* COS IIII. Aequitas standing l. holding scales and cornucopiae. C. 237; M.S. 177; B.M.C. 647 p. 94. *A superb specimen.* 1

389* **FAUSTINA SENIOR** (*wife of Antoninus Pius, died in* 141 *A.D.*). Aureus, of Rome. DIVA - FAVSTINA. Bust draped r., hair waved and coiled on top of head. *rev.* AETER NITAS. Fortuna standing l., holding globe and rudder. C. 5; M.S. 348; BMC. 361 p. 55. *Almost extremely fine.* 1

390* —— Aureus. Rome. Similar obverse. *rev.* AVGV STA. Ceres, veiled, standing l., holding lighted torch in each hand. C. 75; M.S. 357a; BMC. 405 p. 59 variant. *A magnificent specimen, fleur-de-coin.* 1

391* —— Aureus. Rome. Same with · at end of legend. *rev.* AVG VSTA. Ceres veiled, standing l., holding lighted torch and sceptre (torch vertical). C. 95; M.S. 356a; BMC. 395 p. 58 variant. *A superb piece, with head larger. Fleur-de-coin.* 1

392* —— Aureus. Rome. DIVA FAV — STINA. Bust as above. *rev.* AVG V — STA. Venus diademed standing l., raising r. hand and with l. raising skirt. C. 127; M.S. 367; not in B.M.C. —. *Almost extremely fine, but a scarce type.* 1

393* **MARCUS AURELIUS** (161-180 A.D.). Aureus. Mint of Rome. ANTONINVS AVG — ARMENIACVS. Bust laur. dr. and cuir. r. *rev.* PM TRP XVIII — IMP II COS III. Victory standing front, head r., placing on palm-tree shield inscribed VIC / AVG. C. 466; M.S. 90; B.M.C. 270 p. 421. *Issue of* 163-164 *A.D. Extremely fine and sharp.* 1

394* —— Aureus. Rome. AVRELIVS CAE — SAR AVG PII FIL. Bust r. dr. and cuir., head bare. *rev.* TR POT VII — COS II. Roma helmeted l. holding Victory and parazonium. C. 659. M.S. 457 (b); B.M.C. 802 p. 117. *Issue of* 152-153 *A.D., under Antonius Pius. Extremely fine. A very attractive young portrait.* 1

Lot

395* —— Aureus. Rome. M . ANTONINVS AVG — ARM PARTH MAX. Head r. laur. *rev.* TRP XXII . IMP V — COS III. Victory advancing l., holding wreath and palm-branch. C. 903; M.S. 194; B.M.C. 471 p. 451. *Issue* 168 *A.D. Extremely fine.* 1

396* **FAUSTINA JUNIOR** (*wife of Marcus Aurelius, died in* 175 *A.D.*). Aureus. Rome. FAVSTINA AVG — PII AVG FIL. Bust draped r., hair waved and fastened in bun, low at back. *rev.* CONCORDIA. Dove standing r. C. 61; M.S. 503 (a); B.M.C. 1089 p. 165 var. *Struck under Antoninus Pius. Almost extremely fine, and attractive.* 1

397* —— Aureus. Rome. FAV — STINAE AVG — PII AVG FIL. Same bust r., hair in horizontal waves and chignon, held by stephane and band of pearls. *rev.* LAETITAE — PV — BLICAE. Laetitae standing l., holding diadem and sceptre. C. 156; M.S. 506 (c); B.M.C. 1047 p. 160 var. *Struck under Antoninus Pius. Rare. Almost extremely fine, pleasing portrait.* 1

398* —— Aureus. Rome. FAVSTINA — AVGSTA. Bust r. dr., hair waved, collected in bun at back of head. *rev.* SALVTI AVGVSTAE. Salus seated l., feeding out of patera snake coiled round altar. C. 198; M.S. 716; B.M.C. 152 p. 405. *Fleur-de-coin. A lovely piece.* 1

399* —— Aureus. Rome. Similar to preceding, but only *very fine.* 1

400* —— Aureus. Rome. FAVSTINAE AVG — PII AVG FIL. Same head, but of smaller type. *rev.* VE — NVS. Venus standing l., holding apple and rudder with dolphin coiled round it. Not in C. —; M.S. 517 (c); B.M.C. 1063 p. 161. *Almost extremely fine, and very attractive.* 1

401* **LUCILLA** (*wife of Lucius Verus, put to death in* 183 *A.D. by her brother Commodus*). Aureus. Mint of Rome. LVCILLA — AVGVSTA. Bust dr. r., hair waved and collected in chignon at back. *rev.* CONCORDIA. Concordia draped seated l., holding patera and l. elbow resting on statue of Spes; under throne, cornucopiae. C. 4; M.S. 755; B.M.C. 332 p. 430. *A beautiful specimen, very rare type, with attractive large portrait.* 1

402* —— Aureus. Rome. LVCILLAE AVG — ANTONINI AVG F. Similar obverse. *rev.* P I E T A S . Pietas standing l., holding in l. perfume box and sacrificing over lighted altar. C. 49; M.S. 774; B.M.C. 316 p. 428. *A magnificent piece, fleur-de-coin. Rare.* 1

LOT

403* —— Aureus. Rome. LVCILLAE AVG ANTONINI AVG F. Obverse of similar type, but head larger. *rev.* V E — NVS. Venus standing l., holding apple and sceptre. C. 69; M.S. 783; B.M.C. 321 p. 429. *Extremely fine, rare.* 1

404* —— Aureus. Rome. Same type. *rev.* VOTA / . / PVBLI / CA within laurel-wreath. C. 97 var.; M.S. 790 variant; B.M.C. 328 p. 429. *Only very fine, but very rare.* 1

405* **PERTINAX** (1 Jan. - 28 March 193 A.D.). Aureus. Mint of Rome. IMP CAES P HELV — PERTIN AVG. Bust r. laur. and dr. *rev.* LAETITIA . TEMPOR . COS II. Laetitia standing l., holding wreath and sceptre. C. 18; M.S. 4 (b); B.M.C. 6 p. 2. *A very fine specimen of a very rare coin.* 1

406* **SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS** (193-211 A.D.). Aureus. Mint of Rome. A.D. 194. L SEPT SEV PE — RT AVG IMP III. Head r. laureate. *rev.* PM TRP II — COS II PP. Jupiter naked to waist, seated l., holding Victory and sceptre. C. 379; M.S. 34; B.M.C. 68 p. 31. *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

407* —— Aureus. Rome (issue of 196-197 A.D.). L . SEPT SEV PERT — AVG IMP VIII. Head r. laur. *rev.* PM TRP IIII — COS II PP. Victory advancing l. holding wreath and trophy. C. 422 (error in legend); M.S. —; B.M.C. 145 p. 44. *A choice specimen of this very rare type. Fleur-de-coin.* 1

408* —— Aureus. Rome (200-201 A.D.). SEVERVS AVG — PART MAX. Head laureate r., aegis on l. shoulder. *rev.* PR OFEC T . AVG G FEL. The Emperor on horseback, horse galloping r., holding spear.
This type seems to be unpublished, except in the Kreling Sale, Amsterdam, Nov. 13th, 1914, lot 1529, from which this specimen originally comes. Almost extremely fine, and unique. 1

409* **SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS and JULIA DOMNA.** Aureus. Issued in Rome in 200-201 A.D. Same legend. Bust laureate r. with aegis and lion's skin. *rev.* IVLIA AVGVSTA. Bust of Julia Domna draped r., hair waved in six ridges. C. 1; M.S. 161 (b); B.M.C. 192 p. 192. *Very rare and in superb state of preservation.* 1

Lot

410* **SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS, CARACALLA and GETA.** Aureus. Mint of Rome. 200-201 A.D. Same legend. Head of the Emperor laur. r. *rev.* AETERNIT . IMPERI. Busts of Caracalla laur., draped and cuir. r., and of Geta draped, cuir., head bare, l., facing one another. C. 1; M.S. 155 (c); B.M.C. 184 p. 191. *A very rare piece of great beauty and most attractive. Brilliant.* 1

411* **JULIA DOMNA** (wife of Septimius Severus, died in 217/218 A.D.). Aureus. Rome. IVLIA AVGVSTA. Bust draped r., hair elaborately waved in four ridges, hair gathered in chignon coiled at back. *rev.* DIANA LVCIFERA. Diana standing front, head l., holding long torch diagonally in both hands. C. 26; M.S. 548; B.M.C. 14 p. 159. *Brilliant and F.D.C. Rare.* 1

412* —— Aureus. Rome. First issue. 193-196 A.D. IVLIA . DO — MNA . AVG. Bust of Julia Domna dr. r., hair waved, six ridges, and coiled at back. *rev.* FECVND — ITAS. Fecunditas seated r. on throne, holding one child in arms, a second standing in front of her. C. 41; M.S. 534; not in B.M.C. —. *A superb specimen in high relief. Rare.* 1

413* —— Aureus. Same obverse, hair in five ridges. *rev.* VENER I . VICTR. Venus naked to the waist, standing r. holding apple and palm, l. elbow resting in column. C. 193; M.S. 536; B.M.C. —. *A piece of real beauty. Fleur-de-coin. Very rare.* 1

414* —— Aureus. Mint of Laodicea ad Mare. 196-202 A.D. IVLIA— AVGVSTA. Bust draped r. with four ridges. *rev.* AEQVITATI AVGG. Aequitas standing l. holding scales and cornucopiae. C. 5; M.S. 635; B.M.C. p. 276 *. *Eastern style. Very fine and very rare.* 1

415* **CARACALLA** (198-217 A.D.). Aureus. Mint of Rome. (199-200 A.D.). ANTONINVS — AVGVSTVS. Bust r. laur. dr. and cuir. *rev.* RECTOR ORBIS. Caracalla, as Sol, naked, standing front, holding globe and spear reversed, cloak over l. shoulder. C. 541; M.S. 39 (a); B.M.C. 163 p. 186. *Rare and in superb condition, lovely portrait, "stempelfrisch".* 1

416* —— Aureus. A similar specimen, but different dies. *Rare and extremely fine.* 1

Lot

417* **CARACALLA, SEPTIMIUS SEVERUS and IULIA DOMNA.** ROME (201 A.D.). ANTONINVS PIVS AVG — PON TRP IIII. Bust laur. dr. and cuir. r. *rev.* CONCORDIAE AETERNAE. Busts jugate r. of Septimius Severus radiate, dr., and of Julia Domna in stephane, on crescent. C. 1; M.S. 52; B.M.C. p. 204, 260. *A very rare type, in extremely fine condition, and very pleasing.* 1

418* **CARACALLA.** Aureus. Mint of Rome. (205 A.D.). ANTONINVS — PIVS AVG. Bust of Caracalla, older features, laur. dr. and cuir. r. *rev.* PONTIF TRP — VIII COS II. Mars with helmet and cloak, r. foot on helmet, holding branch and reversed vertical spear. C. 419; M.S. 80 (a); B.M.C. 476 p. 250. *A superb piece, but for slight scratch on neck. Slightly creased.* 1

419* —— Aureus. Same type, but bust draped only. M.S. 80 (b); B.M.C. 476 p. 250, see the note; Montagu Sale, April 20th, 1896, lot 514. *A brilliant sepcimen in perfect condition of this very rare variant.* 1

420* **SEVERUS ALEXANDER** (222-235 A.D.). Aureus. Mint of Rome. (233-235 A.D.). IMP CM AVR SEV ALEXAND AVG. Bust r. laur. dr. and cuir. *rev.* MARTI PACIFERO. Mars standing l. in armour, holding olive-branch and reversed spear. C. 172 variant; Bourgey, 1912, lot 284; M.S. 159, bust variant d. *An extremely fine specimen of a very rare variant. Fine portrait.* 1

421* **GORDIAN III PIUS** (238-244 A.D.). Aureus. Rome. Fourth issue of A.D. 241-243. IMP GORDIANVS PIVS FEL AVG. Bust laur., dr. and cuir. r. *rev.* VIRTVTI A — VGVSTI. Hercules naked standing r., r. hand resting on hip, l. hand set on club placed vertically on rock. C. 401; M.S. 108. *Extremely fine and very rare. From the Kreling Sale, Schulman (Amsterdam), 1914, lot* 1559. 1

422* **ETRUSCILLA** (wife of Trajan Decius). Aureus. Rome. HER ETRVSCILLA AVG. Bust r. draped with high diadem, hair gathered in long queue fixed at back of head. *rev.* PVDICITIA AVG. Pudicitia veiled seated l., holding sceptre and drawing veil. C. 18; M.S. 59 (a). *Extremely fine, but pierced. Very rare.* 1

423* **DIOCLETIAN** (284-305 A.D.). Aureus. Cyzicus. DIOCLETIANVS — AVGVSTVS. Head bearded and laur. r. *rev.* CONSVL IIII — PP PRO COS. The Emperor in long toga standing l., holding globe in r. hand. C. 46; M.S. 285. *Issue of* 290-292. *A magnificent specimen in perfect condition. Brilliant.* 1

Lot

424* —— Aureus. Probably Cyzicus. Similar obverse. *rev.* COS — III. The Emperor raising r. hand on horse facing to r. C. 54; M.S. 287. *Issue of* 290-292. *F.D.C. and brilliant. Rare.* 1

425* —— Aureus. A similar piece, but probably of the mint of Antioch, with COS IIII. C. 55; M.S. 311. *Brilliant and Fleur-de-coin. Rare.* 1

426* **MAXIMIANUS HERCULEUS** (286-305 A.D.). Aureus. Rome. IMP CM AVR VAL MAXIMIANVS PF AVG. Bust r. laur. and draped. *rev.* IOVI CON — SER — VAT AVGG. Jupiter standing l. holding thunderbolt and sceptre. C. 347 variant; M.S. 491 variant; with bust laur. and dr. only. *Very rare, but only fine, and pierced.* 1

427* **MAXIMINUS II DAZA** (307-314 A.D.). Aureus. Mint of Serdica. MAXIMINV — S NOB CAES. Laureate head r., slightly bearded, end of laurel-wreath falling down neck. *rev.* PRINCIPI IVV — ENTVTIS. The Emperor standing l., holding sceptre and globe; behind him, two standards; in ex., . SM . SD . ; in inner field l., ☧ . C. 142 (variant of legend). *An extremely fine piece, and very rare, but pierced. Striking portrait.* 1

428* **LICINIUS JUNIOR** (Caesar in 317, killed in 326 A.D.). Aureus, large and of flat fabric. Struck at Nicomedia. DN VAL LICIN LICINIVS NOB C. Full face portrait, head bare, bust draped in consular robes, of Licinius II. *rev.* IOVI CONSER — VATORI CAES. Jupiter seated facing on throne, draped, holding in r. small Victory crowning him and in l. sceptre; at his feet, eagle r. looking back, wreath in beak, below, on tablet, SIC . V . / SIC . X . ; in ex., SMNT. C. 28. *An excessively rare coin in most beautiful state of preservation, especially for a facing portrait. Very high relief.* 1

429* **CONSTANTINUS I THE GREAT** (306-337 A.D.). SOLIDVS. Struck at Thessalonica. No legend. Bust diad. r. *rev.* CONSTANTINVS AVG. Victory seated l. on throne, holding in r. small Victory ready to crown her, and in l. cornucopiae; behind, bow, shield; in ex., SMTS☧ . C. 102. *Brilliant Fleur-de-coin. Rare. A magnificent portrait.* 1

LOT

430* —— Solidus. Mint of Thessalonica. CONSTAN — TINVS PF AVG. Large head laur. and diad. r. *rev.* VIRTVS EXE — RCITVS GALL. Mars helmeted walking to r., holding spear and trophy, between two captives seated on ground and looking up towards him; in ex., . SM . TS . . C. 702. *A superb specimen, and very rare type. Fine style.* 1

431* **FAUSTA** (*wife of Constantine the Great, put to death on orders of her husband in 326 A.D.*). Solidus. FLAV MAX — FAVSTA AVG. Bust draped of Fausta r. with necklace, hair waved in four ridges adorned with pearls and gathered in bun at back. *rev.* SALVS REI — PVBLICAE. Fausta standing front, head l., holding her two sons Constantine II and Constans; in ex., SMN. *Struck at Nicomedia.* C. 5. *A piece of great rarity and of most attractive style. Extremely fine.* 1

432* **CONSTANTINE II** (337-340 A.D.). Quinarius. Mint of Constantinople. CONSTANTINVS IVN NOB C. Laur. and cuir. bust r. *rev.* VICTORIA CONSTANTINI CAES. Victory seated r. on cuirass and shield, and writing VOT / XX on buckler held out to her by small winged genius standing l.; in ex., CONS. C. 210 variant (genius not given). *An extremely rare coin in EF condition, but for scratch in field r. of obverse.* 1

433* **CONSTANTIUS II** (Caesar in 323 A.D., Augustus 335-361 A.D.). Solidus. Mint of Thessalonica. FL IVL CONSTANTIVS NOB C. Laur. dr. and cuir. bust r. *rev.* PRINCIPII — VVENTVTIS. The Emperor in military dress standing front, head r., holding standard with eagle and short sceptre; to r., a second standard. In ex., SMTS Ɛ . C. 160. Variant of bust. *A most attractive piece in Fleur-de-coin. Variant unpublished* (?). 1

434* —— Solidus. Sirmium. FL IVL CONSTAN — TIVS PERP AVG. Bust facing helmeted and cuir.; the Emperor holds in r. spear and in l. shield adorned with mounted soldier attacking foe. *rev.* GLORIA — REI — PVBLICAE. Rome helmeted and Constantinople turreted holding between them large shield inscribed VOT / XXX / MULT / XXXX; Constantinople has r. foot on prow; in ex., ✶ SIRM. C. 112. *Extremely fine.* 1

LOT

435* —— Solidus. Struck at Thessalonica. DN CONSTAN — TIVS PF AVG. Head diad. r., two rows of pearls and rosette, hair long. *rev.* Same legend and type, but Rome and Constantinople hold wreath of laurel within which VOT / XXXX; in ex., ⁎ TES ⁎ . C. 126 variant. *A rare type, with very striking portrait. Superb.* 1

436* **MAGNENTIUS** (350-353 A.D.). Solidus. Mint of Aquileia. DN MAGNEN — TIVS PF AVG. Bust r. draped and cuir., head bare. *rev.* VICTORIA AVG LIB ROMANOR. Victory and Libertas standing, looking at each other, holding between them trophy. Libertas carries a sceptre, Victory a palm (? or no palm ?); in ex., SMAQ. C. 48 and 49; Laffranchi, p. 158, 104. *Very rare. Fleur-de-coin, but for slight spade scratches.* 1

437* **JULIAN II the Apostate** (360-363 A.D.). Solidus. Mint of Antioch. Bust draped and cuir. r., head bare, no beard. DN IVLIANV — S NOB CAES. *rev.* GLORIA — REI — PVBLICAE. Type similar to precedent coin, but in centre of shield star of eight rays instead of inscription; in ex., SMANB. C. 23 variant (bust cuir.). *A charming portrait with early bust. Superb and brilliant. Rare.* 1

438 —— Solidus. Antioch. EL CL IVLIA — NVS PP AVG. Bust r. bearded, diad. dr. and cuir. *rev.* VIRTVS EXERCI — TVS ROMANORVM. Julian in military dress walking r. holding trophy and dragging by the hair a captive kneeling behind him; in ex., ANTΔ. C. 78 variant EL and officinae Δ). *Extremely fine, reverse a little scraped.* 1

439* —— Solidus. Mint of Sirmium. DN FL CL IVLIA — NVS P P AVG. Same bust r. *rev.* Same legend and type, but ⁎ SIRM wreath in ex.; no eagle. *Variant not in Cohen. Unpublished* (?). *Extremely fine.* 1

440* —— Solidus. Antioch. FL CL IVLIA — NVS PF AVG. Same bust r., but long beard. *rev.* Similar, Julian has floating coat. In ex., ANTB. C. 79. *Extremely fine late portrait.* 1

441* **JOVIAN** (363-364 A.D.). Solidus. Struck at Sirmium. DN IOVIAN — VS PFP AVG. Bust diad. dr. and cuir. r. *rev.* SECVRITA — S REI — PVBLICE. Roma and Constantinople as above, seated, holding shield inscribed VOT / V / MVLT / X. In. ex., . SIRM palm. C. 12 var. (bust cuir.). *Superb, but has been pierced twice.* 1

Lot

442* —— Solidus. Sirmium. Similar, but with SIRM palm. C. 12 var. as above. *Very fine.* 1

443* **VALENTINIAN I** (364-375 A.D.). Solidus. Mint of Nicomedia. DN VALENTINI — ANVS P F AVG. Bust diad. and dr., cuir., r., diadem of pearls and rosettes. *rev.* RESTITVTOR — REIPVBLICAE. Valentinian standing front, head r., holding labarum with Christogram and small Victory on globe crowning him; in ex., SMNI. C. 28. *Extremely fine.* 1

444* —— Solidus. Struck at Siscia, 364-367 A.D. Same legend. Bust diad. to l., with double row of pearls and rosette, with imperial mantle, holding globe in r., sceptre in l. *rev.* SALVS — REIP. Valentinian standing front, holding labarum with Christogram, r. foot on kneeling captive, and looking r. at small Victory ready to crown him, held on globe in l. hand. In field r., star; in ex., SM SISC and palm. C. 32; M.S. Vol. IX, p. 145, 1. *Very rare and almost extremely fine.* 1

445* **VALENTINIAN II** (375-392 A.D.). Solidus. Mint of Treveri. DN VALENTINIANVS IVN PF AVG. Youthful bust r. diad. dr. and cuir. *rev.* VICTOR — IA AVGG. Valentinian and Gratian seated facing, holding globe on which Victory facing, wings open; in ex., TROBS. C. 36 variant (no palm). *Very fine.* 1

446* **THEODOSIUS I** (379-395 A.D.). Triens. Mint of Constantinople. DN THEODO — SIVS P F AVG. Diad. dr. and cuir. bust r. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM. Victory walking r. looking back, holding wreath and cross on globe; in field r., star. In ex., CONO. C. 47. *Very fine.* 1

447* **MAGNUS MAXIMUS** (383-388 A.D.). Solidus. Struck at Treveri. DN MAG MA — XIMVS PF AVG. Bust draped r., diadem of pearls and rosettes alternating. *rev.* RESTITVTOR — REIPVBLICAE. The Emperor standing front in military dress, holding labarum with Christogram and Victory on globe crowning him; in field l., star; in ex., S M T R. C. 4. *Very rare. Extremely sharp and in perfect condition.* 1

448* **HONORIUS** (395-423 A.D.). Solidus. Milan. DN HONORI — VS PF AVG. Bust diad. dr. and cuir. r. *rev.* VICTORI — A AVGGG. Honorius standing r., l. foot on crouching captive, holding labarum and small Victory on globe crowning him; in ex., COMOB; in field M — D. C. 44. *Extremely fine.* 1

449* —— Solidus. Struck at Rome. Same type, except letters in field R — M. C. 44. *Extremely fine and rare mint.* 1

Lot

450* **GALLA PLACIDIA** (*wife of Ataulphus and of Constantius III, sister of Honorius, died in* 450 *A.D.*). Solidus. Struck at Constantinople. GALLA PLA — CIDIA AVG. Bust r. dr. and diad.; above, hand holding wreath. *rev.* IMP XXXXII COS XVII PP. Rome (or Constantinople) helmeted, seated r., holding sceptre and globe cruciger, foot on prow; behind, shield; in field l., star; in ex., COMOB. C. 2. *Extremely fine and extremely rare.* 1

451* **CONSTANTINE III** (407-411 A.D.). Struck at Treveri. Solidus. DN CONSTAN — TINVS P F AVG. Bust r. diademed (two rows of pearls) dr. and cuir. *rev.* VICTORI — A $\overline{A}$ AVGGG. The Emperor standing r., l. foot on crouching captive, holding labarum and small Victory on globe crowning him; in ex., TROB S. Cf. Cohen 5 and 6. *Unpublished variant* (?). *Very rare and extremely fine. Brilliant.* 1

452* **JOHANNES** (423-425 A.D.). Triens. Mint of Ravenna. DN IOHAN — NES PF AVG. Bust r. diad. dr. and cuir. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGVSTORV. Victory walking r., holding wreath and globe cruciger; behind, shield; in ex., COMOB; in field, R — V. C. 8 variant. *A very rare barbarous imitation of this extremely scarce coin. Very fine.* 1

453* **VALENTINIAN III** (425-455 A.D.). Solidus. Ravenna. DN PLA VALENTI — NIANVS PF AVG. Bust diad. dr. and cuir. r. *rev.* VICTORI — A AVGGG. Valentinian standing facing, r. foot on human-headed serpent, holding long cross and Victory on globe. In ex., COMOB; in field, R — V. C. 19. *Extremely fine.* 1

454* **MAJORIAN** (457-461 A.D.). Solidus. Struck at Ravenna. DN IVLIVS MAIORI — ANVS PF AVG. Draped and cuir. bust r., wearing helmet diademed (no rosettes), holding spear to l. and shield adorned with Christogram. *rev.* VICTORI —A AVGGG. Majorian standing facing, r. foot on human-headed serpent, holding long cross and globe surmounted by Victory Stephanophoros. In ex., COMOB; in field, R — V. C. 1 variant. *Extremely fine and unusually well struck. Rare.* 1

455* **LIBIUS SEVERUS III** (A.D. 461-465). Solidus. Mint of Milan. DN LIBIVS SEVER — VS PERPETV AG (sic!). Diad. dr. and cuir. bust r. *rev.* VICTORI — $\overline{A}$ AVGGG. Same type as above, with Emperor Severus; in ex., COMOB; in field, M-D. C. 10 variant. *Extremely fine and very well struck. Rare.* 1

Lot

456* **ANTHEMIUS** (A.D. 467-472). Solidus. Ravenna. DN AVTNE — MIVS PF AVG. Helmeted and cuir. bust facing, holding spear in r. *rev.* SALVS R — EIP — VBLICAE. Anthemius, Emperor of Occident, and Leo, Emperor of Orient, standing facing, holding between them globe cruciger, and each a spear; in field, R V and star; in ex., COMOB. C. 8 variant. *A superb specimen of this very rare coin. As struck, high relief.* 1

457* **JULIUS NEPOS** (A.D. 474-475). Solidus. Uncertain mint. DN IVLI NE — POS PF AVG. Bust helmeted and cuir. facing, holding spear and shield with horseman r. *rev.* VICTORI — A AVGGG:. Victory standing l., holding long cross; in field r., star; in ex., COMOB. C. 6 variant. *Very fine and very rare. Unpublished variant. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

458* —— Solidus. Ravenna mint. Same types, with IVL NEPOS, and R — V instead of star. C. 6. *Very fine and very rare.* 1

INTERVAL UNTIL 1 P.M. PRECISELY

BYZANTINE GOLD COINS

Abbreviations

B.M.C.—British Museum Catalogue of Imperial Byzantine Coins.

G.—H. Goodacre, *Handbook of the Coinage of the Byzantine Empire.*

S.—Sabatier, *Monnaies Byzantines,* 1862.

T.—Count J. Tolstoi, *Monnaies Byzantines* (Text in Russian).

459* **ARCADIUS** (395-408). Solidus. DN ARCADI VS PF AVG. Bust r. draped and diademed. *rev.* CONCORDI A AVGGGI. Constantinople seated facing, holding spear and shield inscribed VOT V MVL X; foot on prow. In exergue, CONOB. (*S.* p. 102, 12 *var.; G.* 15; *T.* Plate 1, 27 *var.*). *F.D.C.* 1

LOT

460* Tremissis. As last. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGVSTORVM. Victory walking r. holding wreath and globe cruciger. In ex., CONOB. (*S.* p. 104, 21; *G.* 22; *T.* Pl. 1, 42). *F.D.C.* 1

461* Solidus. Arcadius full-face with helmet, cuirass, spear and shield. *rev.* CONCORD I A AVGGI . CONOB. Constantinople as before, but holding Victory stephanophoros. (*S.* p. 102, 11 *var.*; *G.* 13; *T.* Pl. 1, 5). *Extremely fine.* 1

462* Solidus. Profile bust r. *rev.* VICTORI A AVGGG . CONOB. In field, R-M. Emperor r. standing with foot on enemy, holding Victory on globe and labarum. (*S.* p. 103, 18; *G.* 18; *T.* Pl. 1, 35). *Extremely fine.* 1

463* **Eudoxia, wife of Arcadius.** Semissis. AEL EVDO CIA AVG. Bust r. draped and diademed. *rev.* Christogram in wreath. Below, CONOB*. (*S.* —; *G.* 5; *T.* "Eudocia", Pl. 6, 93). *Extremely fine and of great rarity.* 1

464* Tremissis. As last. *rev.* Cross in wreath. Below, CONOB*. (*S.* p. 120, 3; *G.* 6; *T.* Pl. 6, 96). *F.D.C.* 1

465* Another. *Almost equally fine.* 1

466* A third specimen. *Slightly crimped, but extremely fine.* 1

467* **THEODOSIUS II** (408-450). Solidus. DNTHEODO SIVS PF AVG. Emperor full-face with helmet, cuirass, spear, shield. *rev.* CONCORDI A AVGGG Θ. Constantinople as before. Star to l. In ex. CONOB. (*S.* p. 144, 2; *G.* 4 *var.*; *T.* Pl. 5, 2 *var.*). *Extremely fine.* 1

468* Another. *rev.* VOT XXX MVLT XXXX B. Roma seated l. holding sceptre and Cross on globe. CONOB. In field r., Star. (*S.* p. 116, 14; *G.* 13; *T.* Pl. 5, 49). *Almost F.D.C.* 1

469* Another. *rev.* SALVS REI PVBLICAE . The Emperor and Valentinian III seated side by side facing. Above, Star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 115, 8; *G.* 9; *T.* Pl. 5, 26). *Very fine.* 1

470* Another. *rev.* VIRT EX ERC ROM. Emperor carrying trophy, dragging to r. captive by the hair. In field r., Star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 115, 12; *G.* 11; *T.* Pl. 5, 37). *Extremely fine.* 1

Lot

471* Semissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGG. Victory seated r. writing XXXX on shield. To r., Christogram. CONOB. (*S.* p. 116, 19; *G.* 15; *T.* Pl. 5, 61). *Extremely fine.* 1

472 Another. Similar. *Rather crimped.* 1

473* **Eudocia, wife of Theodosius II.** Tremissis. AEL EVDO CIA AVG. Bust r. diad. and dr. *rev.* Cross in wreath; in ex., CONOB*. (*S.* p. 120, 3; *G.* 6; *T.* Pl. 5, 94). *Pierced. Fine and rare.* 1

474* **MARCIAN** (450-457). Solidus. DN MARCIA NVS PF AVG. Bust facing as before. *rev.* VICTORI A AVGGG. Victory l. holding cross; in field r., Star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 124, 4; *G.* 4; *T.* Pl. 7, 5). *Extremely fine.* 1

475* Another. *rev.* GLORORVI STERRAR. Emperor facing holding labarum and Cross on globe. Star to l. TESOB. (*S.* p. 124, 3 *var.*; *G.* 3; *T.* Pl. 7, 1). Mint of Thessalonica. *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

476* Semissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGG. Victory seated r. as before, writing XXXXV on shield. CONOB. In field r., Christogram. (*S.* p. 125, 7; *G.* 6; *T.* Pl. 7, 18 *var.*). *Pierced. Extremely fine.* 1

477* Tremissis. *rev.* Victory walking r. holding Cross on globe and wreath. Star to r. (*S.* p. 125, 8; *G.* 7; *T.* Pl. 17, 19). *Very fine.* 1

478 Another. Similar. *Pierced. Fine.* 1

479* **Pulcheria, wife of Marcian.** Solidus. AEL PVLCH ERIA AVG. Her bust to r. Above, *manus Dei*. *rev.* IMP XXXXII COS XVII PP. Constantinople seated r. as before. In field l., Star. COMOB. (*S.* p. 126, 1; *G.* 1; *T.* Pl. 7, 30). *Pierced, but extremely fine and very rare. Illustrated on Pl. XXIV.* 1

480 Another. *rev.* VOTXX MVLTXXXΓ. Victory standing l. holding long cross. Above, Star. CONOB in ex. (*S.* p. 127, 4; *G.* 4; *T.* Pl. 7, 35). *Pierced and crimped, but very rare.* 1

481* Tremissis. Same obverse. *rev.* Cross in wreath. CONOB and Star in ex. (*S.* p. 127, 9; *G.* 7; *T.* Pl. 7, 44). *Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

LOT

482* Another. Similar. *Very fine. Illustrated on Pl. XIXV.* 1

483 Another. Similar. *Pierced, but very fine.* 1

484* **LEO I** (457-474). Solidus. DNLEOPE RPETAVG. Bust facing with helmet, cuirass, shield and hand holding spear. *rev.* VICTORI AAVGGGS. Victory standing l., as before. In field r., Star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 131. 4; *G.* 6; *T.* Pl. 8, 3). *F.D.C.* 1

485* Another. *rev.* SALVS REI RVBLICAEC. Two Emperors seated side by side facing. Star and Cross above. CONOB in ex. (Cf. *S.* p. 130, 3; *G.* 3; *T.* Pl. 8, 2). EF/ *Almost F.D.C. Unpublished variant.* 1

486* Semissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* Victory seated r. as before, writing XXV on shield; to r., Christogram; in ex., CONOB. (*S.* p. 131, 8 *var.*; *G.* 10; *T.* Pl. 8, 18). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

487* Tremissis. *rev.* Victory holding globe cruciger, walking r. as before; in field r., Star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 132, 9; *G.* 11; *T.* Pl. 8, 19). *Very fine.* 1

488 Another. As last. *Very fine.* 1

489* **Verina, wife of Leo I.** Tremissis. AELVERI NA AVG. Her bust r. *rev.* Cross in wreath. CONOB. (*S.* p. 134, 2; *G.* 2; *T.* Pl. 9, 56). *Pierced. Extremely rare.* 1

490* **LEO II and ZENO** (474). Solidus. DN LEO ET Z ENO PPAVG. Bust facing, as before. *rev.* SALVS REI PVBLICAEE. Leo and his grandfather seated side by side; between them, Cross. CONOB. (*S.* p. 135, 1; *G.* 1; *T.* Pl. 9, 3). *Pierced. Very fine and extremely rare.* 1

491* Tremissis. DN≶ENO ET LIEONOV CAES. Same bust r. *rev.* Victory walking r. as before. (*S.* p. 141, 20; *G.* 4; *T.* Pl. 9, 7). *Fine and very rare.* 1

492* **ZENO** (474-491). Solidus. DNZENO PERP AVG. Bust facing as before. *rev.* VICTORI A AVGGG Θ . Victory l. holding long cross as before. To r., Star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 138, 1; *G.* 4; *T.* Pl. 9, 13). *Very fine.* 1

Lot

493* Another. Similar, with legend ending GGG R and COMOB. *Extremely fine.* 1

494* Semissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* Victory seated r. as before, writing XXXX on shield. Cuirass below seat. Star and Christogram. In ex., CONOB. (*S.* p. 139, 3; *G.* 5; *T.* Pl. 9, 6). *Very fine. Rare.* 1

495* Tremissis. Victory walking to r. as before, legend reading VICTORIA AVG TSORIVM. Star to l. (*S.* p. 139, 6; *G.* 8; *T.* Pl. 9, 8). *Extremely fine and unusually well-struck.* 1

496 Another. Similar, of usual type. *Very fine.* 1

497* Another. *Extremely fine,* with AVGVST ORM. Star to r. 1

498* **BASILISCUS** (476-477). Solidus. DNBASILIS CVS PPAVG. Bust facing as before. *rev.* VICTORI AAVGGG. Victory standing l. as before. Star to r. COMOB. (*S.* p. 143, 1; *G.* 1; *T.* Pl. 11, 73). *Very fine.* 1

499* Another. Similar, with CONOB. *Extremely fine and brilliant.* 1

500* Semissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* Victory seated r. as before, writing XXXX on shield; behind, small Victory; to l., Star; in front, Christogram. (*S.* p. 144, 5; *G.* 3). *Extremely fine, and of great rarity.* 1

501* Tremissis. Victory walking to r. as before. (*S.* p. 144, 6; *G.* 4). *Very fine.* 1

502* **Basiliscus and his son Marcus.** Solidus. DN BASILISCI ET MARC PAVG. Bust facing as before. *rev.* VICTORI AAVGGG Z. Victory standing l. as before. CONOB. (*S.* p. 145, 2; *G.* 9). *Very fine/Extremely fine. Rare.* 1

503* **ANASTASIUS** (491-518). DN ANASTA SIVS PP AVG. Bust facing as before. *rev.* VICTORI A AVGGGA. Victory l. as before, holding staff surmounted by Christogram. To l., Star. CONOB. (*B.M.C.* —; *S.* p. 152, 1; *G.* 1). *Extremely fine.* 1

504* Another. I at end of legend. *F.D.C. and brilliant.* 1

505* Another. Θ at end of legend. Small flan. *Extremely fine.* 1

LOT

506 Similar, but Victory standing l. holds long cross. *S.* at end of legend. CONOB. Star to r. (*S.* p. 152, 2). *Very fine/Extremely fine.* 1

507* Another. As last, but G at end of legend. *F.D.C. and brilliant. Magnificent style.* 1

508* Another. I at end of legend. *F.D.C. and brilliant.* 1

509* Another. As last. *F.D.C.* 1

510* Another. *F.D.C.* 1

511* Another. *F.D.C.* 1

512* Another. H at end of legend. *F.D.C.* 1
(Note.—*The above six coins all appear to be part of a hoard, and are in perfect condition.*)

513* Semissis. Profile bust r. as before. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGGG. Victory seated r. as before, writing XXXX on shield. Star to l. Christogram to r. CONOB. (*B.M.C.* 8; *S.* p. 152, 4; *G.* 2). *Extremely fine.* 1

514 Another. Same types, but Christogram turned to l. (*B.M.C.* 6). *Very fine.* 1

515 Two more; *one crimped, one pierced.* Christogram turned to r. 2

516* Tremissis. *rev.* Victory moving to r. as before. In field r., Star. CONOB. (*B.M.C.* 9; *S.* p. 152, 5; *G.* 4). *Very fine.* 1

517* **JUSTIN I** (518-527). Solidus. DNIVSTI NVSPPAVG. Bust facing as before. *rev.* VICTORI AAVGGB. Victory **standing l.** as before. Star in field l. CONOB. (*S.* —; *G.* —; *B.M.C.* —; *T.* Pl. 16, 11). *F.D.C. and of the greatest rarity.* 1

518* Another; with I' at end of *rev.* legend and cross surmounted by Christogram. (*S.* —; *G.* —; *B.M.C.* —; *T.* Pl. 16, 12 *var.*). *F.D.C. and of the greatest rarity.* 1

519* Tremissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* Victory moving r. as before; in field r., star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 160, 4; *G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 11). *Extremely fine.* 1

Lot

520* **JUSTINIAN I THE GREAT** (527-565). Solidus. DNIVSTINI ANVS PPAVG (1). Bust facing as before, but the Emperor holds globe cruciger. *rev.* VICTORI A AVGGGA. Victory standing facing holding long cross with Christogram and globe cruciger. In field r., Star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 177, 3; *G.* 6; *B.M.C.* 8). *F.D.C. and brilliant.* 1

521* Another. *rev.* legend ends in I. *Extremely fine.* 1

522 Another. As last. *Extremely fine, obverse F.D.C.* 1

523 A fourth specimen. *rev.* legend ends in S. *Very fine.* 1

524* A fifth. *rev.* Victory holds plain cross and plain globe. Plain legend. (*S.* —; *G.* 6; *B.M.C.* —; *T.* Pl. 19, 18). *Altogether different style and fabric, better workmanship. Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

525* Semissis. Profile bust r. as before. *rev.* Victory seated r. as before. Christogram to r. (*S.* p. 177, 4; *G.* 10; *B.M.C.* 20). *Extremely fine. Rough style.* 1

526 Another. *Pierced. Fine.* 1

527 A third. *Rather rough style, but extremely fine.* 1

528 Tremissis. *rev.* Victory moving r. as before. Star to r. CONOB. (*S.* p. 178, 5; *G.* 11; *B.M.C.* 22). *Fine.* 1

529* **JUSTIN II** (565-578). Solidus. DNIVSTI NVS PPAVG. Bust facing as before, holding in r. hand Victory stephanophoros. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGGGI. Constantinople seated facing, head r., holding spear and globus cruciger. In field l., Star. CONOB. (*S.* p. 224, 1; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 5). *Very fine.* 1

530* Another. *rev.* legend ends in Δ. (*B.M.C.* —). *Extremely fine.* 1

531 Another. *rev.* legend ends Θ. No star. (*B.M.C.* 12). *Extremely fine.* 1

532* Another. Legend ends S. (*B.M.C.* 8). *Extremely fine.* 1

533 Another. Legend ends H. (*B.M.C.* 10). *Very fine.* 1

Lot

534 Semissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* Victory seated r.; Star and Christogram in field. (*B.M.C.* 17). *Very fine.* 1

535* **TIBERIUS II CONSTANTINE** (578-582). Solidus. DMTIb-CONS TANTAVC. Bust facing, holding in r. globe cruciger. *rev.* VICTORI AAVGGB. Cross potent on four steps. CONOB. (*S.* p. 230, 1; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Very fine.* 1

536* Semissis. Profile bust r. diad. *rev.* VICTORTIBERIAVG. CONOB. Cross potent over globe. (*S.* p. 231, 4; *G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 12). *Extremely fine. Rare.* 1

537* Tremissis. DN CONSTAN TINO PP AG. As last. *rev.* Cross potent; to r., monogram Θ. CONOB. (*S.* p. 231, 5 *var.*; *G.* —; *B.M.C.* —; *T.* —). *Extremely fine, but of very barbarous style. Extremely rare.* 1

538* **MAURICE TIBERIUS** (582-602). Solidus. DNMAVRC TIb PPAVG. Bust facing. *rev.* VICTORIAAVGGE. Victory standing facing. CONOB. (*S.* p. 239, 1 *bis*; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 6). *Very fine.* 1

539 Semissis. DNmAV RIPP AVG. Profile bust r. *rev.* Victory moving r. as before. (*S.* p. 239, 3; *G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 15). *Very fine, but rare.* 1

540* Tremissis. As last. *rev.* Victory with wreath and globe cr. facing. (*S.* p. 239, 5; *G.* 7; *B.M.C.* —; *T.* Pl. 36, 57). *Very fine. Barbarous.* 1

541* **FOCAS** (602-610). Solidus. DNFOCAS PERPAVG. Bust facing. *rev.* VICTORIA AVG ɥ I. Victory facing as before, holding long cross with Christogram and globe cr. CONOB. (*S.* p. 252, 1; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 22). *F.D.C. Unusually well struck.* 1

542* Another. Same types, with DNNFOCAS and legend ending similarly; in field r., N. *F.D.C. and very rare variant.* 1

543* Tremissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* VICTORI FOCAS AV Y (sic!). Cross potent. (*S.* p. 253, 4; *G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 32 *var.*). *Extremely fine.* 1

544 Another. AVC. *Very fine.* 1

LOT

545* **HERACLIUS AND FAMILY** (610-641). **Heraclius and Heraclius Constantine.** Solidus. DDN NHERACLIVS ET HERA CONST PPAV. Busts of Emperor and of his son beside him, facing. Star between them. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGЧ E. CONOB. Cross potent on three steps. (*S.* p. 274, 48 *bis*; *G.* 21; *B.M.C.* 18). *Extremely fine, almost F.D.C.* 1

546* **Heraclius, Heraclius Constantine and Heracleonas.** Solidus. Heraclius between Heraclius Constantine and Heracleonas, all three standing facing, holding globus cr. *rev.* As last, with AVGЧH. Two monograms in field. (*S.* p. 285, 106; *G.* 28; *B.M.C.* 78). *Extremely fine, but slight spade mark on rev.* 1

547 Semissis. Profile bust r. *rev.* Legend ending AVSЧ Є. Cross potent on globe. (*S.* p. 267, 4; *G.* 5; *B.M.C.* 82). *Pierced. VF.* 1

548 Tremissis. As last, with S; no globe. (*S.* p. 267, 5; *G.* 6; *B.M.C.* 93). *Extremely fine. Pierced.* 1

549* Another. *Extremely fine and well struck.* 1

550* **CONSTANS II** (=Constantine III) (641-668). DNCONSTAN TINVS PPAVI. Bust facing, holding in r. globe cr. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGЧ I. Cross potent on four steps; in field r., Є CONOB. (*S.* p. 294, 2; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 11 *var.*). *F.D.C. and beautiful style.* 1

551* Another. Bust without beard; legend ending AV. *rev.* Legend ending Чz . (*B.M.C.* 8 *var.*). *Extremely fine.* 1

552* Another. Thick beard. *rev.* B at end. CONOB +. (*B.M.C.* 26 *var.*). *Extremely fine and brilliant.* 1

553* Similar. Beard long. *rev.* Γ at end. (*B.M.C.* 30). *Almost extremely fine.* 1

554* Semissis. As before, bust beardless r.; at end, S. (*B.M.C.* 69). *Very fine. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

555* **Constans II and his son Constantine IV.** Solidus. Busts of Constans II and Constantine IV, side by side, facing; between them, cross. *rev.* Cross potent on four steps. B at end of same legend as above. (*B.M.C.* 41). *F.D.C.* 1

LOT

556* Solidus. Bust of Constans II. alone, beard long, facing. *rev.* CONOB. Three figures: Tiberius, Constantine IV and Heraclius all facing, each holding globe cr. in r. Legend on obverse ending AVG ꝗ H +. (*S.* p. 4. 15; *G.* 25; *B.M.C.* 68 *var.*). *Extremely fine.* 1

557* Thick solidus (Carthage mint). Busts facing of Constans II and Constantine IV. *rev.* VICTO RASNB. CONOB. Cross potent on four steps; in field r., P. (*B.M.C.* 272 variant; see Ponton d'Amécourt, lot 911). *Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

558* **Constans II and Constantine IV with Heraclius and Tiberius.** Solidus. Busts facing of the same two as above. *rev.* Cross potent on four steps between Heraclius and Tiberius. CONOB. Θ at end of legend. (*S.* p. 5, 17/18 *var.*; *G.* 26; *B.M.C.* 62 *var.*). *Extremely fine and well centred.* 1

559* Another. rev. legend ends B. (*B.M.C.* 59 *var.*). *F.D.C.* 1

560* **CONSTANTINE IV POGONATUS** (668-685). Solidus. DN CONST ANꝗS PP. Facing bust with cuirass and helmet, holding spear behind head, bearded. *rev.* VICTORIA AVGꝗΘ. CONOB. Cross potent on steps between Heraclius and Tiberius facing. (*S.* p. 12, 3; *G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 7 *etc. var.*). *Extremely fine. Reverse legend in very thick letters.* 1

561 Another. As last. *Very fine.* 1

562* **Constantine alone.** Solidus. Bust as before. Legend ending PPA. *rev.* Cross potent as before; SA at end of legend. (*S.* p. 12, 3 *var.*; *G.* 9; *B.M.C.* 15 variant). *Almost extremely fine.* 1

563* Tremissis. Profile bust as before. *rev.* Cross potent on base. (*S.* p. 17, 22; *G.* 13; *B.M.C.* 19). *F.D.C., but barbarous.* 1

564 Another. *Also barbarous.* 1

565* **JUSTINIAN II RHINOTMETUS** (685-695). Solidus. DN IV IVNI A ꝗꝗIPPVAV. Bust facing crowned, holding globe cr. *rev.* VICTORIA AV ⌣ꝗꝗ⌣. Cross potent on steps. CONOB. (*B.M.C.* 57 *var.*; *G.* 1 *var.* Italian mint). *Extremely fine, very good style. Very rare.* 1

566* Another. Similar, but thick fabric. (*B.M.C.* 29 variant; *G.* 2. Mint of Carthage). *Very fine. Very rare.* 1

LOT

567* Tremissis. Similar. Thin fabric. (*S.* p. 24, 9; *G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 71. Italian mint). *Extremely fine.* 1

568 Another. Similar. *Very fine.* 1

569* Solidus. DISTINI [AN ꝗS] SER ꝗ CHRISTI. At end of legend, ε . CONO P. Emperor standing holding on to cross potent on steps. *rev.* IhS CRISTOS REX REGNANTI ꝗM. Bust of Christ facing, Cross behind; r. hand blessing. (*S.* p. 23, 3; *G.* 5; *B.M.C.* 14 variant). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

570 Another. *Very fine.* 1

571 Tremissis. Types as last. (*S.* p. 23, 5; *G.* 7; *B.M.C.* 22). *Pierced. Very fine.* 1

572* Solidus. DN IVS TINIA NVS M ꝗ LT ꝗS AN. Bust of Emperor facing holding cross potent on steps in r. hand, and globe with cross inscribed PAX in l. *rev.* Inscription and facing bust of Christ as before, but of entirely different style. (*S.* p. 22, 2; *G.* 8; *B.M.C.* 18). *Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

573* Semissis. Types as last. (*S.* —; *B.M.C.* —; *G.* 9; only two others known—Goodacre anl Hermitage). *Extremely fine and of the highest rarity.* 1

574* **TIBERIUS III APSIMARUS** (698-705). Solidus. D TIBERI ꝗ S PE AV. Bust facing in armour with spear and shield. *rev.* VICTORIA AVG ꝗ H. CONOB. Cross potent &c. (*S.* p. 29, 1; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 5 *var.*). *F.D.C.* 1

575* Semissis. Similar. *rev.* Cross potent on globe. (*S.* p. 89, 2; *G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 7). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

576* **JUSTINIAN II,** Second reign, **and His Son TIBERIUS** (705-711). Solidus. Legend DNI ꝗ STINIAN ꝗ S ET TIBERI ꝗS PPA—. The Emperor and his young son TIBERIUS both facing, holding on to cross potent on steps. *rev.* d NI h SC hREX REGNANTI ꝗM. Bust of Christ facing, etc. Cross behind. (*S.* p. 34, 1; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 2). *F.D.C. A magnificent specimen of this rare coin.* 1

577* Another. *Extremely fine.* 1

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578 A third specimen. *Extremely fine.* 1

579* Semissis. Same types, but cross is on globe. (*S.* —; *G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 3). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

580 Another. *Very fine.* 1

581 Tremissis. Types as last. (*G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 4). *Two specimens. Both very fine.* 2

582* **PHILIPPICUS BARDANES** (711-713). Solidus. DN FILEPI-CЧS MЧL TЧ SAN. His bust facing holding globe with cross in r. hand, and sceptre, eagle-topped with cross, in l. *rev.* VICTORIA AVG Ч ΘΓ. CONOB. Cross potent on three steps. (*S.* p. 37, 1; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 6). *Extremely fine and extremely rare.* 1

583 Another. *rev.* legend ends Δ. (*B.M.C.* —). *Very fine, pierced. Extremely rare.* 1

584 Semissis. Types as last. *rev.* VICTORIA AVSVS. Cross on globe. (*S.* p. 37, 4; *G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 7). *Very fine. Pierced, but extremely rare.* 1

585* Another. As last. *Extremely fine. Extremely rare.* 1

586* Tremissis. Similar. *rev.* Cross potent. (*S.* —; *G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 8). *Very fine and extremely rare.* 1

587* **ANASTASIUS II** (713-716). Solidus. dЧ NAPTEMI ЧS Λ NAS-TASI ЧS MЧ L. Bust facing holding large globe with cross. *rev.* As previous coin. Legend ends AVSЧ CONOB. (*S.* p. 39, 1; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 3). *F.D.C. and very rare. A magnificent piece, of high quality.* 1

588* Another. As last. *rev.* legend ends Ч B. (*B.M.C.* 1). *Very fine. Pierced. Very rare.* 1

589* Tremissis. Similar. *rev.* Legend ends AYSЧS. Cross potent. (*S.* p. 39, 3; *G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 10). *Very fine and very rare.* 1

590 Another. *Very fine, but rather crimped. Very rare.* 1

Lot

591* **THEODOSIUS III of Adramytium** (Jan. 716 - March 717). Solidus. Mint of Constantinople. ꝺN THEO ꝺO/SIVS M ꝗ I.A. Bust of Theodosius III facing, with short beard; he holds globus surmounted by patriarchal cross and mappa. *rev.* VICTORIA AVS ꝗS. In ex. CONOB. Cross potent on three steps. (Not in B.M.C. —; see *Sabatier, II*, p. 41, 1. *Photiades Pacha*, No. 361). *Extremely fine and attractive, of excessive rarity. Illustrated on Pl. XXIV.* 1

592* **LEO III The Syrian** (717-741). Solidus. D LEO |N P ƒ | AV. Portrait bust facing, globe with cross in l.; mappa in r. hand. *rev.* As before, cross on steps. Legend ends ꝗ I. (*S.* p. 47, 1; *G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 4). *Almost F.D.C. and very rare.* 1

593* Another. Similar. *Very fine. Very rare.* 1

594 A third specimen. *Pierced, but very fine and flan complete.* 1

595 Tremissis. Types as before. *rev.* Cross potent. Legend ends AVS ꝗS. (*S.* —; *G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 40). *Mint of Rome. Very fine. Rare, but pierced.* 1

(N.B.—*These four coins may have been struck by LEONTIUS* (695-698). See Laffranchi, La Numismatica di Leonzio II, 1940, Pl. III. 3.)

596* **LEO III** (717-741). Solidus. Bust facing; globe in r. hand; in l., mappa. *rev.* Cross as before. Legend ends B. (*S.* p. 49, 9; *G.* 5; *B.M.C.* 5 *var.*). *Very fine, but pierced.* 1

597* **With his son CONSTANTINE V.** Solidus. DND LEO NPAM ꝗL. Bust of Leo as before. *rev.* DN CONST ANTIN S M. Bust of Constantine facing, globe cr. in r. hand; mappa in l. Legend ends M. (*S.* p. 50, 14; *G.* 15; *B.M.C.* 13). *Extremely fine.* 1

598 Another. Similar. *Pierced. Very fine.* 1

599 Semissis. Same types. (*G.* 16; *B.M.C.* 16). *Almost very fine. Has been mounted.* 1

600* Another. Of Italian mint. Similar, but of much different style. (*G.* 10; *B.M.C.* 70). *Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

LOT

601* **CONSTANTINE V COPRONYMUS** (741-775) **With his Son Leo IV and his Father Leo III.** Solidus. Busts side by side of Constantine V and his son Leo IV (heads of equal size); between them, • *rev.* G. LEONPAM ЧLΘ. Bust of Leo III (dead) facing, holding cross potent. Legend ends Θ. (*G.* 16; *B.M.C.* 10 variant). *Very fine and rare.* 1

602* Another. No Greek letter, but pellet. (See *B.M.C.* 7). *Very fine.* 1

603 A third specimen. Head of Leo IV smaller. (*B.M.C.*, 7). *Very fine. Pierced.* 1

604* **LEO IV AND FAMILY** (775-780). Solidus. Busts of Leo IV and his son, Constantine VI, facing; above, cross; between them, pellet. *rev.* busts of Leo III, grandfather, and Constantine V, facing; above, cross; between them, pellet. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Very fine and rare.* 1

605* Solidus. Leo IV and son seated facing on double throne; above, cross. *rev.* As last. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 3). *Very fine.* 1

606* **CONSTANTINE VI and his mother IRENE** (780-797). CONSTANTIN SCN SIM. Busts of the young Emperor and Irene facing. Above, cross; between them, pellet. *rev.* Three seated figures: Leo III, Constantine V, Leo IV, all facing. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Better than very fine, and of great rarity.* 1

607 Another. Similar. Pale gold. *Rather worn.* 1

608* Solidus. |CONSTAN|TINOS bASIΘ. The young Emperor's bust facing, holding globus cr. and mappa. *rev.* IRINH AVGVSTI. Bust of Irene facing, holding globe cr. and cross. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 5). *Very fine, but pierced. Extremely rare.* 1

609* **IRENE alone** (797-802). Solidus. EIPINH BASIAISSH. Her bust facing on either side of the coin. End of obverse legend ⊕. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Almost extremely fine and of great rarity.* 1

610* Another similar. *Pierced. Very fine. Extremely rare.* 1

611* **NICEPHORUS I.** (Oct. 802 - July 811). Solidus. Mint of Constantinople. NICI FOROS bASILЄ I. Bust of Nicephoros with slight beard, facing, holding mappa and cross potent. *rev.* IhSYS XPIS TVS hICA●. Cross potent on three steps. (Variant of *B.M.C.* 1; see also *Revue Belge*, 1857, p. 184). *Extremely fine and of greatest rarity. Illustrated on Pl. XXIV.* 1

LOT

612* **NICEPHORUS I and his Son STAURACIUS** (802-811). Solidus. NICI FOROS bA SILE. His bust bearded facing, holding long cross. *rev.* STAURA CIS dE SPOT X. Bust of his son, Stauracius, beardless, facing, with globe cr. and mappa. (*G.* 5; *B.M.C.* 8). *Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

613* Another. (*G.* 5; *B.M.C.* 6). Legend ends Ɛ . *Extremely fine, struck on large flan.* 1

614 A third with X. (*B.M.C.* 8). *Very fine.* 1

615* **LEO V The Armenian and CONSTANTINE.** (813 - 820 A.D.). Solidus. Mint of Constantinople. LE Oh bASILƐ Ч S. Bust of Leo V, bearded, facing; he holds mappa and cross potent; in field l., pellet. *rev.* CONST AhTS δESPSƐ . Bust of his son Constantine, beardless, facing, holding mappa and globus with cross. (B.M.C. 1). *Of most beautiful style; very large flan. F.D.C. and brilliant. A great rarity. Illustrated on Pl. XXIV.* 1

616* **MICHAEL II** (820-829) **and his son THEOPHILUS.** Solidus. MIXAHL bASIL ƐЧS. His bust bearded facing, holding cross; in field l., *. *rev.* ΘƐ OFI LO dESPS +Ɛ . Bust of his son, Theophilus, beardless, facing, holding long cross and globe cr. (*G.* 5; *B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine.* 1

617* **THEOPHILUS** (829-842). Solidus. ⊙E OFI LOS bASILƐ S. His bust facing, as above; in field l., *. *rev.* CURIƐ b OHΘHTOSO δ OVLO ✱ Ɛ . Cross on three steps. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 2). *Extremely fine and extremely rare.* 1

618* Solidus. ΘEO Ł ILOS. His bust facing, holding globe cr. *rev.* The same, holding long cross. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 32; provincial). *F.D.C.* 1

619* Semissis. As last, but on *rev.* Theophilus holds globe cr. (*G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 39). *F.D.C.* 1

620* **Theophilus with Michael II and Constantine VIII.** Solidus. His bust facing. Legend as above, but ending Ɛ X. *rev.* X MIXAHL S CONSTANTINS. Busts, facing, of Michael II (dead) and Constantine VIII, his son; in field, cross. (*G.* 11; *B.M.C.* 10). *Almost F.D.C. and rare.* 1

621* Another, similar. Legend ending Ɛ • . *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

622 A third specimen. *Very fine, but pierced.* 1

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623 A fourth, with BASILSA. (*B.M.C.* —). *Reduced by clipping. Fine.* 1

624* **MICHAEL III THE DRUNKARD with THEODORA and THECLA** (842-864). Solidus. THEOδ ORA δε SPVNS. Bust of his mother Theodora facing, holding globe cr. and sceptre. *rev.* MIXAHL S ⊙ECLA. Busts of Michael and his sister Thecla facing, side by side. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Very fine and of the greatest rarity. Pierced.* 1

625* **MICHAEL III and THEODORA.** Solidus. + MIXAHL S ⊙EODORA. Michael and his mother Theodora facing, side by side; between them, cross. *rev.* I hSq SX RISTOS *. Bust of Christ, facing, on cross, as before. (*G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 3). *Very fine and of great rarity.* 1

626* **MICHAEL III Alone.** Solidus. MIXAHL bASILE. Bust of Michael facing, holding labarum; in field l., cross. *rev.* bust of Christ, as last. (*G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 5). *Extremely fine. Pierced. Extremely rare.* 1

627* **BASIL I** (867-886) **and his son CONSTANTINE.** Solidus. Busts of Basil and the young Constantine facing, holding long Cross. *rev.* + IhS XPS REX REGNANTIq M*. Christ seated facing on throne. (*G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 2). *Almost F.D.C.* 1

628 Another. Same types. *Very fine.* 1

629* **LEO VI THE WISE** (886-912) **and CONSTANTINE VII.** Solidus. Leo and Constantine VII standing facing, each holds globe cr. and long cross between them. *rev.* Christ enthroned as on last. (*G.* 12; *B.M.C.* 2). *Extremely rare and very fine.* 1

630* **CONSTANTINE VII PORPYROGENITUS** (913-959) **and ROMANUS I.** Solidus. The Emperor and Romanus I standing facing as before. *rev.* Christ enthroned as on last. (*G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 7). *Pierced and very fine. Extremely rare.* 1

631* Another. The same pair, but busts only, holding long cross. *rev.* As last. (*G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 8). *Extremely fine. Very rare.* 1

632* **CONSTANTINE VII Alone.** Another. Bust of Constantine alone, facing, with long beard, holding cross on globe. *rev.* Bust of Christ as before. (*G.* 6; *B.M.C.* 44). *Very fine and magnificent style. Extremely rare.* 1

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633* **CONSTANTINE VII and ROMANUS II.** Another. Busts facing of Constantine and Romanus II; cross between them. *rev.* Bust of Christ as last. (*G.* 10; *B.M.C.* 60). *Extremely fine.* 1

634* Another. Similar. *Almost F.D.C. Brilliant.* 1

635* **ROMANUS I** (919-944) **and CHRISTOPHER.** Solidus. Bust of Romanus and his son Christopher facing. Long Cross between them. *rev.* Christ enthroned facing as before. (*G.* 6; *B.M.C.* 35). *Extremely fine.* 1

636 Another. Similar. *Very fine.* 1

637* **ROMANUS I with CONSTANTINE VII and CHRISTOPHER.** Another. Romanus crowned by Christ, both facing standing. *rev.* Busts of Constantine VII and Christopher facing, holding cross between them. (*G.* 7; *B.M.C.* 39). *Almost extremely fine. Extremely rare.* 1

638* **NICEPHORUS II** (963-969). Solidus. - ⊙EOTOC' b' H⊙' nI CHF' ⁊ SP'. Busts of the Virgin and the Emperor holding cross between them. On l. of Virgin $\overline{\text{M}}$, on r. ⊙. *rev.* Bust of Christ as before with nimbus. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 3). *Very fine and rare.* 1

639 Another. Similar. *Almost extremely fine. Pierced.* 1

640* **NICEPHORUS II and BASIL II.** Another. Busts of Nicephorus II on l. and Basil II on r. facing, holding cross between them. *rev.* Bust of Christ as last. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Very fine.* 1

641* **JOHN I ZIMISCES** (969-976). Solidus. + ⊙EOTOC bOH⊙' Iωδεs. Busts facing of John I and of the Virgin who crowns him. He holds cross. Over his head the *manus dei*, over her's MΘ. *rev.* Bust of Christ as before. (*G.* 1 *var.*, *B.M.C.* 3 *var.*). *V. Fine. Pierced.* 1

642* Another. Similar. In field on *rev.* I X. *Extremely fine but pierced. Unpublished* (?). 1

643* Another. Similar. Emperor holds globe with trefoil instead of cross. To r., $\overline{\text{M}}$⊙. (*G.* 1v.; *B.M.C.* 4v.). *Extremely fine.* 1

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644* **BASIL II** (976-1025) **and CONSTANTINE VIII.** Nomisma. Busts of Basil and his brother Constantine VIII facing, holding cross between them. *rev.* Bust of Christ as before, with nimbus. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *F.D.C.* 1

645* Another. Same types. *Extremely fine.* 1

646 A third specimen. *Very fine.* 1

647 A fourth. *Pierced, but very fine.* 1

648* Another. Plain cross between the Emperors; above head of Basil II on l., Manus Dei. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 12). *Very fine. Very large flan.* 1

649* **CONSTANTINE VIII** (1025-1028). Nomisma. Bust of Emperor facing. He holds labarum. *rev.* Bust of Christ as before. (*G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 3). *Very fine. Rare.* 1

650* Another. Concave. Similar. Emperor holds long cross and globus cr. (*G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 6. This coin is probably of Constantine IX). *Pierced; but extremely fine.* 1

651* **ROMANUS III ARGYRUS** (1028-1034). Nomisma. ⊙CE bOH⊙ ' RωMANω. . Romanus standing facing crowned by Virgin facing. Above, $\overline{\text{MΘ}}$. *rev.* Christ enthroned facing as before. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 2). *F.D.C. Beautifully struck and rare.* 1

652* **MICHAEL IV THE PAPHLAGONIAN** (1034-1041). Nomisma. Bust of Michael facing, holding labarum and globus cr. Above, Manus Dei. *rev.* Bust of Christ facing, as before. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

653 Another. As last. *Pierced and somewhat crimped.* 1

654* **CONSTANTINE IX MONOMACHUS** (1042-1055). Solidus. Bust facing. He holds labarum and globe cr. *rev.* Bust of Christ as before with nimbus. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 4). *Extremely fine.* 1

655* Another. *Very fine.* 1

656 A third. *Pierced, but extremely fine.* 1

657 A fourth. Paler gold. *Extremely fine. Illustrated on Pl. XXIV.* 1

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658* Another, different. Emperor holds sceptre with trefoil top and globe cr. with patriarchal cross. (*G.* 1 *var.*; *B.M.C.* 1 *var.*). *Extremely fine. Unpublished variant* (?). *Very rare.* 1

659* **THEODORA** (1055-1056). Solidus. + • Є O∆ ωAVΓOV. Her bust facing. She holds sceptre and globe cr. *rev.* Bust of Christ, as before; in field, $\overline{\text{IC XC}}$ (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 3). *Extremely fine and very rare. Magnificent style.* 1

660* Another. Fuller legend. Paler gold. *Very fine and very rare.* 1

661 A third. As last. *Fine.* 1

662* Nomisma. Theodora and the Virgin standing facing, holding labarum between them; on either side of the Virgin, M T. *rev.* Christ standing facing with nimbus. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 4). *Pierced, but very fine and very rare.* 1

663* **MICHAEL VI STRATIOTICUS** (1056-1057). Solidus. MIXAHL AVTOCRAT. Emperor standing facing holding long cross. *rev.* Bust of the Virgin *orans*. In field, $\overline{\text{MHP}}$ and $\overline{\odot\text{V}}$. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine. Reverse F.D.C. Pierced. Extremely rare.* 1

664* **ISAAC I COMMENUS** (1057-1059). Nomisma. Concave. Emperor standing facing, in military dress, holding sword and sheath. *rev.* Christ enthroned facing. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 2). *Extremely fine. Attractive obverse.* 1

665* **CONSTANTINE X DUCAS** (1059-1067). Solidus. KωN RA CIΛO∆ VK. Bust of Emperor, facing, holding globe cr. *rev.* Bust of the Virgin *orans*. Same monograms. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 8). *Pale gold. Extremely fine and well struck.* 1

666* Another. *Darker gold. Extremely fine.* 1

667* Nomisma. Scyphate. Figure of Emperor facing, holding labarum and globe cr. *rev.* Christ enthroned facing. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine.* 1

668 Another. *Very fine.* 1

669* A third specimen. *Extremely fine.* 1

670 A fourth. *Very fine, but pierced.* 1

Lot

671* Nomisma. Emperor holding globe cr. standing facing, crowned by Virgin standing facing; between them, $\overline{M}$; to r., Θ·. *rev.* Christ facing seated on large throne. (*G.* 3; *B.M.C.* 4). *Very fine, but pierced.* 1

672* **EUDOCIA MAKREMBOLITISSA with Michael VII and Constantine** (1067). Nomisma. Eudocia holding sceptre, standing facing between her sons Michael on l. and Constantine on r. *rev.* as last. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Very fine and extremely rare, but pierced.* 1

673* **ROMANUS IV DIOGENES and EUDOCIA** (1067-1071). Solidus. * IωMANS ϵ VΔ.KIA. Their busts facing, holding long Cross on globe between them. *rev.* Bust of Virgin facing holding medallion of the infant Christ. +ΘKE ROHΘ. Same monograms as above. (*G.* 7; *B.M.C.* 5). *Extremely fine and attractive reverse style. Very rare.* 1

674 Another. *Equally fine but pierced.* 1

675* A third. *Very fine.* 1

676 A fourth. *Paler gold and pierced. Fine.* 1

677* **ROMANUS and EUDOCIA with their three sons MICHAEL VII, CONSTANTINE and ANDRONICUS.** Nomisma. Christ standing facing between Romanus and Eudocia, crowning them. *rev.* KωN MX ANΔ. Michael VII standing facing, holding sceptre, between his two brothers. (*G.* 9; *B.M.C.* 2). *Extremely fine and rare.* 1

678 Another. *Very fine and rare.* 1

679* **MICHAEL VII DUCAS** (1071-1078). Nomisma. His bust facing, holding labarum and globe. *rev.* Christ enthroned as before. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Obv. Very fine, pierced.* 1

680* Another, similar. *rev.* Bust of Christ as before; in field, $\overline{IC\ XC}$. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C.* 2). *Extremely fine.* 1

681 Another. *Equally fine.* 1

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682* **MICHAEL and MARIA, his wife.** Solidus. Busts of Michael and Maria, the Empress, facing, holding Cross between them. *rev.* ΘΚΕ ROHΘ. Two monograms. Bust of Virgin facing holding medallion with bust of infant Christ. (*G.* 7; *B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine and very rare.* 1

683* Another. Virgin nimbate. With +ΘKERO HΘEI+. (*B.M.C.* 12). *Extremely fine. Very rare and very well struck.* 1

684* Another. *Paler gold. Very fine.* 1

685 A fourth. Similar. *Pierced. Very fine.* 1

686 Two others. *Pale. One pierced.* 2

687 **NICEPHORUS III BOTANIATES** (1078-1081). Nomisma. Emperor standing facing with labarum and globe cr. *rev.* Christ facing enthroned. (*G.* 6; *B.M.C.* 7). *Fine, but cracked.* 1

688* **ALEXIUS I COMNENUS** (1081-1118). Nomisma. Emperor richly robed standing facing, holding sceptre and globe cr.; *manus dei* crowns him. *rev.* Christ enthroned as before. (*G.* 22; *B.M.C.* 5). *Extremely fine.* 1

689 Another. Similar. *Very fine.* 1

690* **JOHN II COMNENUS** (1118-1143). Nomisma. John standing facing crowned by Virgin facing. Two monograms in field. *rev.* Christ enthroned as before. (*G.* 5; *B.M.C.* 20). *Extremely fine.* 1

691* Another. *Equally fine.* 1

692 A third. *Very fine.* 1

693 A fourth. Broader flan. *Very fine.* 1

694* Similar. *rev.* throne differs. (*G.* 6; *B.M.C.* 32). *Extremely fine.* 1

695* Similar. Half-length figures of John and Virgin. *rev.* as last. (*G.* 7; *B.M.C.* 16 *var.*). *Rare. Extremely fine.* 1

696* Another. (*B.M.C.* Pl. LXVI, 12). *Extremely fine. Rare.* 1

697 A third. *Very fine.* 1

698* Nomisma. John and St. George standing facing, holding between them cross on three steps. *rev.* as last. (*G.* 8; *B.M.C.* 46). *Very fine. Pale gold.* 1

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699* **MANUEL I COMNENUS** (1143-1180). Nomisma. Emperor standing facing crowned by *manus dei*. *rev.* bust of Christ, beardless, facing. (*G.* 9; *B.M.C.* 1, etc., variant of legend not in B.M.C.). *Extremely fine.* 1

700* Another. Similar. (*B.M.C.* Pl. LXVIII, 14). *Very fine.* 1

701 A third. (Variant of B.M.C. 11). *Fine. Pierced.* 1

702* **ALEXIUS III COMNENUS** (1195-1203). Nomisma. Alexius and St. Constantine facing side by side, holding cross between them. *rev.* Christ standing facing. In field, $\overline{\text{IC XC.}}$ (*G.* 4; *B.M.C.* 1). *Extremely fine. Pierced. Illustrated on Pl. XXIV.* 1

703 Another. Reverse double-struck. (*B.M.C.* Pl. LXXII, 16). *Very fine.* 1

704* **THEODORE II DUCAS LASCARIS** (1254-1258). Nomisma, struck in Nicaea. Theodore and Virgin standing facing. *rev.* Christ enthroned. (*G.* 2; *B.M.C. Vandals, etc.*, p. 220, 1). *Pierced. Extremely rare. Fine/Very Fine. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

705 **MICHAEL VIII PALAEOLOGUS** (1261-1282). Nomisma. Michael kneeling supported by St. Michael and crowned by Christ. *rev.* The walls of Constantinople within which the Virgin *orans*. (*G.* 1; *B.M.C.* 1). *Pierced.* 1

706* **ANDRONICUS II PALAEOLOGUS** (1282-1328). Nomisma. AN∆P / NIKOIN / ∆ECП.T. / AI-. The Emperor kneeling before Christ, who blesses his head. *rev.* The walls, etc., as last. (*G.* 9; *B.M.C.* 1). *Fine and rare. Illustrated on Pl. XXIV.* 1

707* **ANDRONICUS II and MICHAEL IX.** Another. Christ standing facing between Andronicus and his son Michael IX, both kneeling. *rev.* as last. (*G.* 24; *B.M.C.* 13, etc.). *Gold, slightly alloyed with copper. Illustrated on Plate XXIV.* 1

708* **OSTROGOTHIC** (?). Tremissis imitation of Byzantine coin and a Semissis, perhaps of the **Duchy of BENEVENTUM.** Imperial profile r. *rev.* Cross, in wreath or on globe. (Compare *B.M.C. Vandals, etc.*, p. 44, 7 and p. 190 f, 3, 4). *Both very fine; the first pierced, the second illustrated on plate XXIII.* 2

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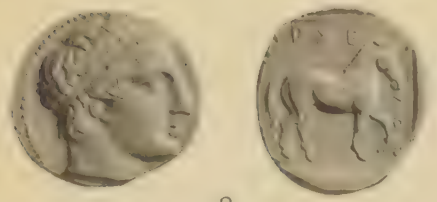
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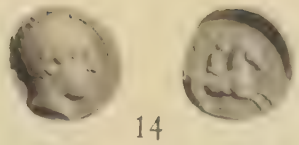
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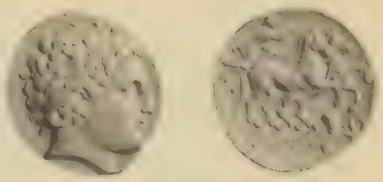
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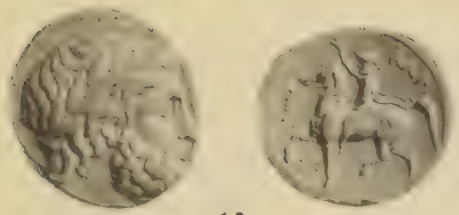
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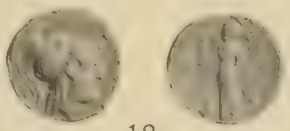
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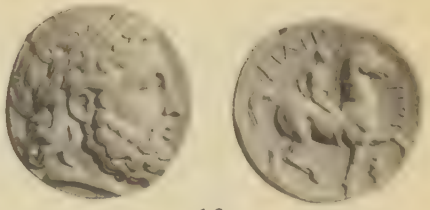
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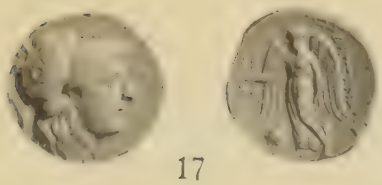
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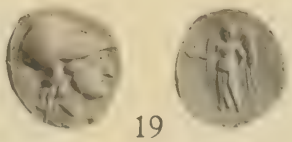
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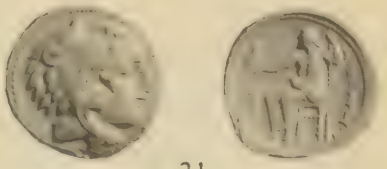
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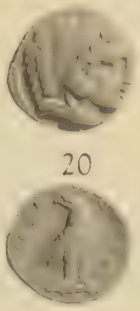
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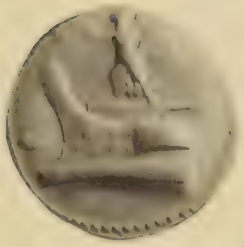
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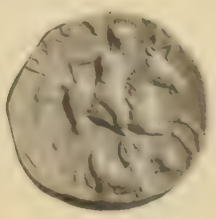
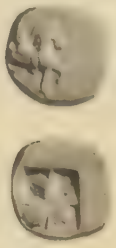

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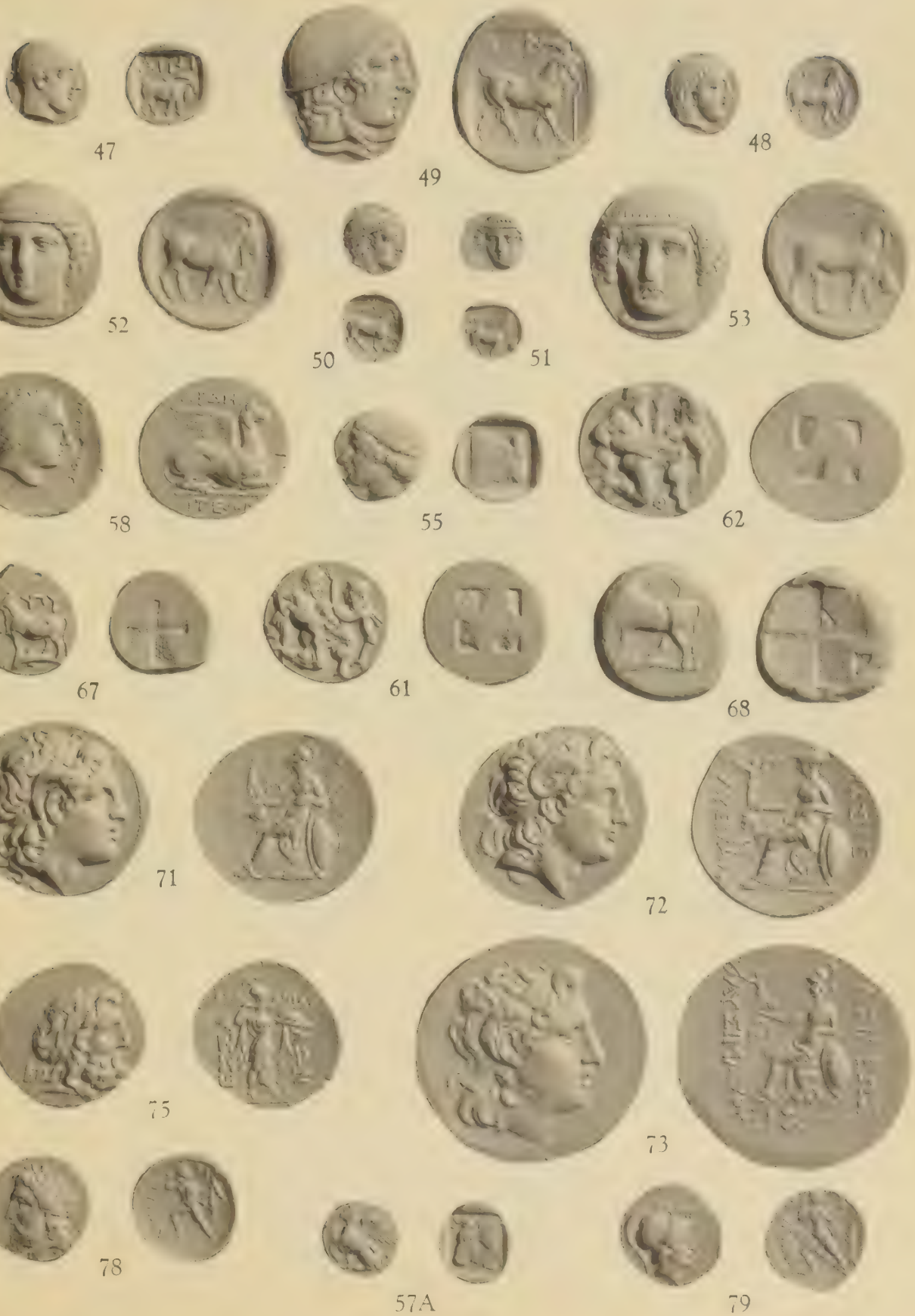
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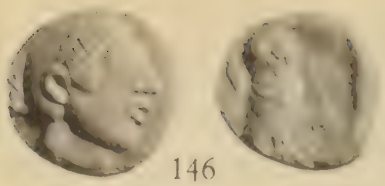
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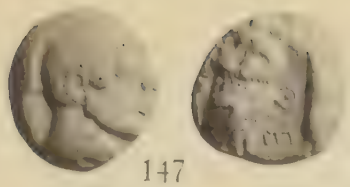
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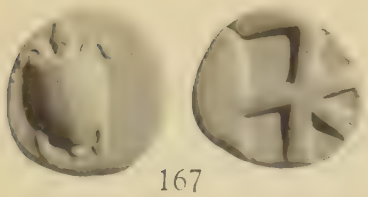
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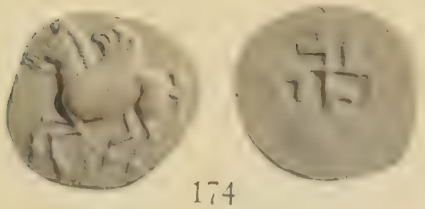
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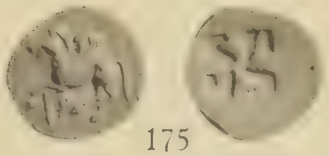
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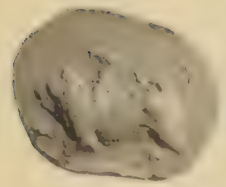
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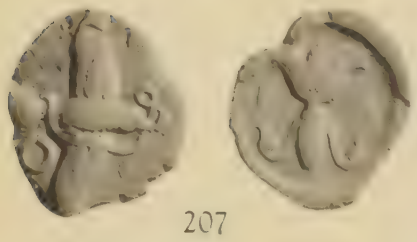
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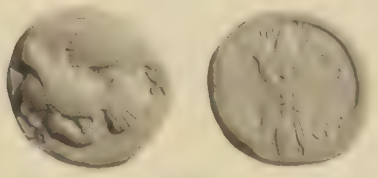
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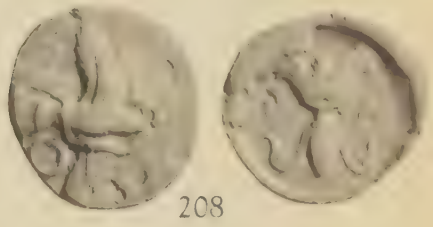
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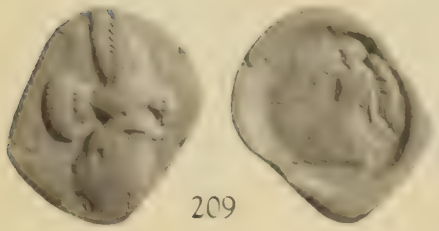
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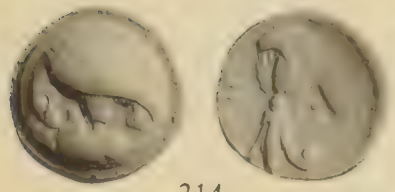
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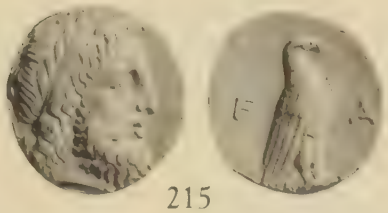
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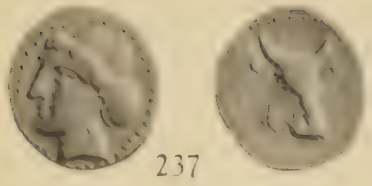

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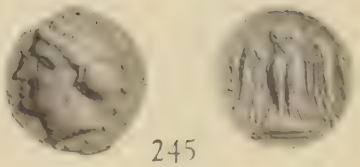

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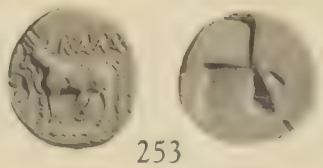

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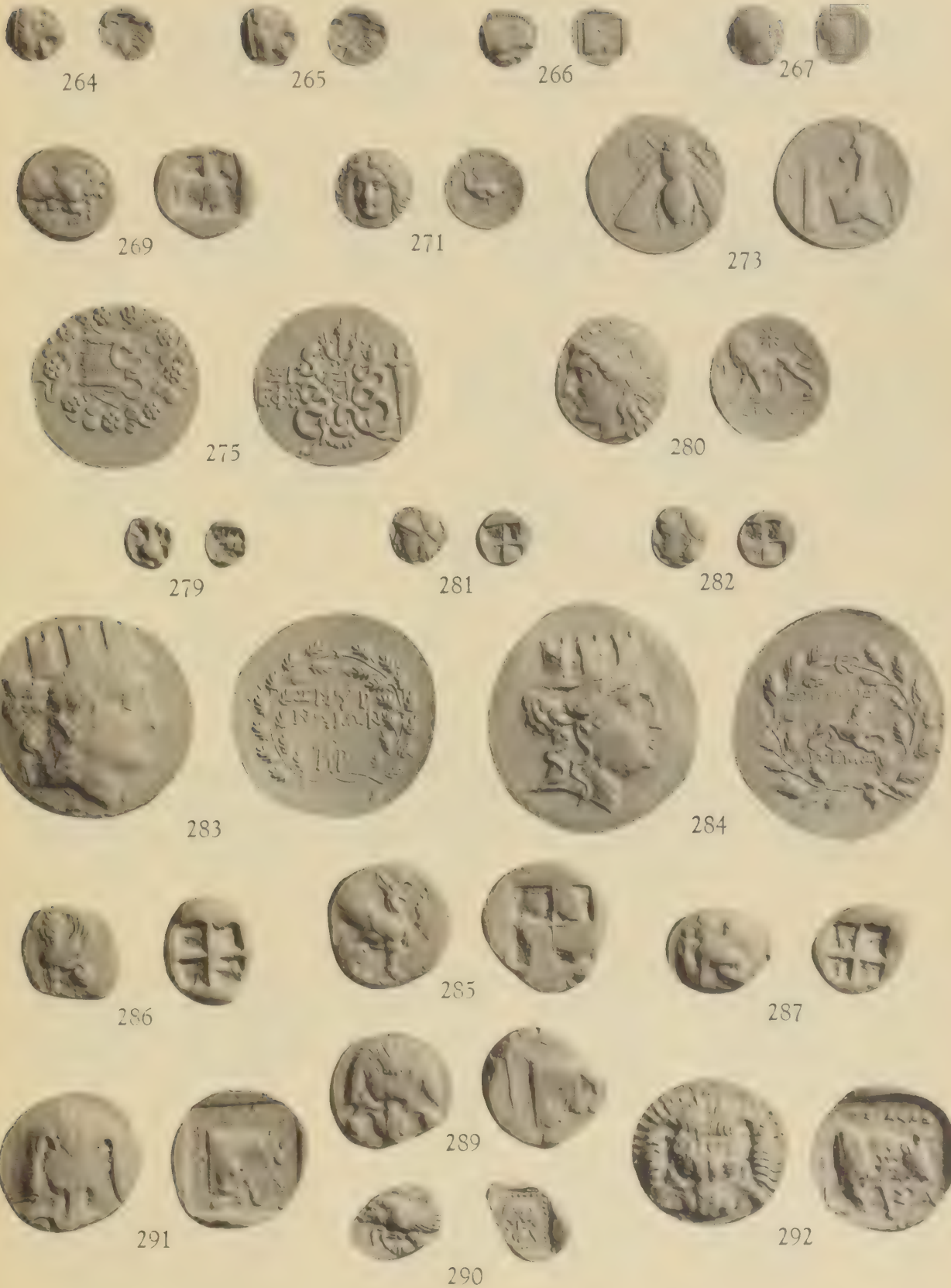
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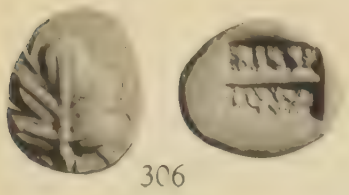
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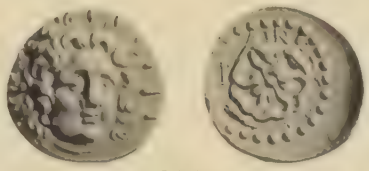
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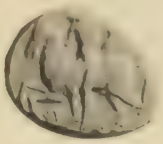

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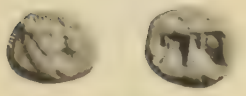
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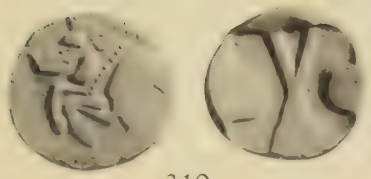
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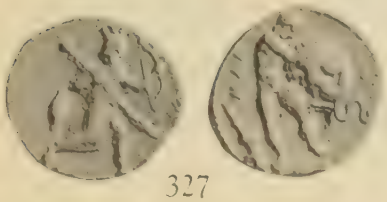
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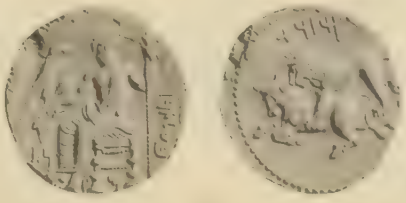
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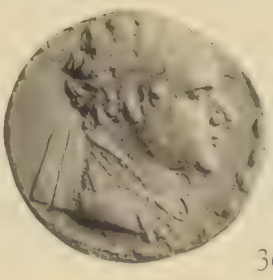

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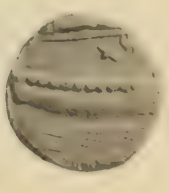

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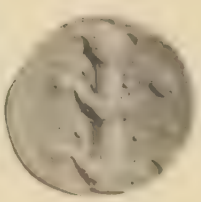

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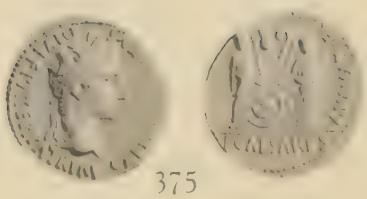
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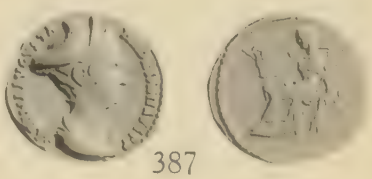
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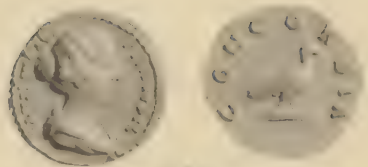
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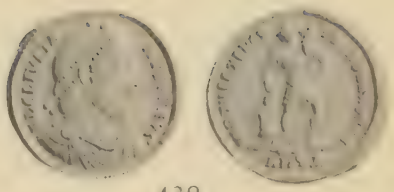

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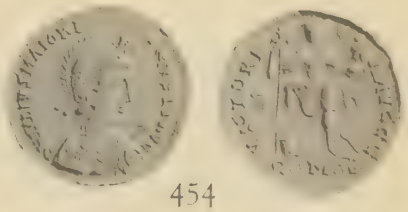

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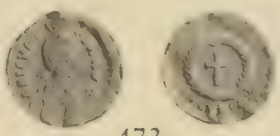
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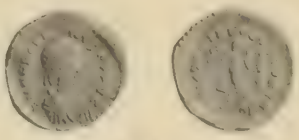
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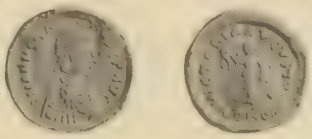

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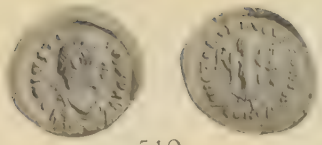
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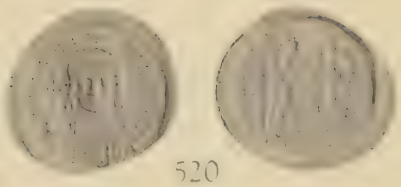
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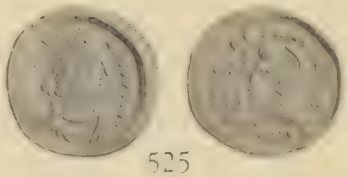
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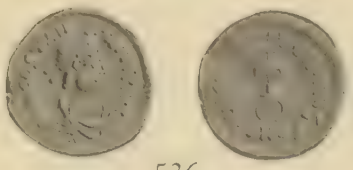
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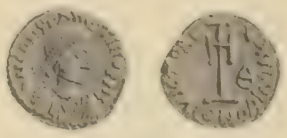
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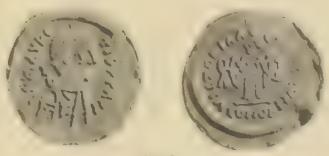
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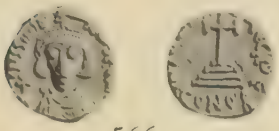
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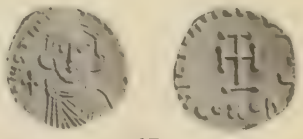
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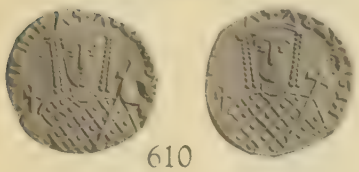
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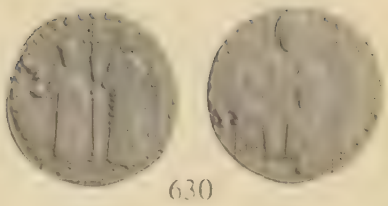
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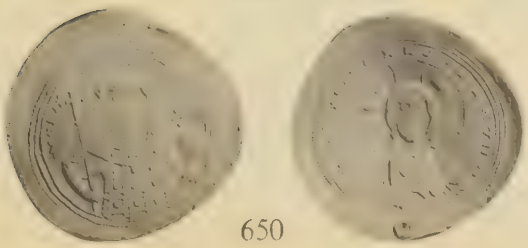
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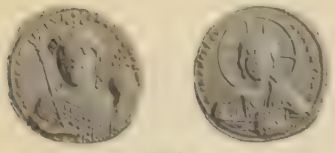
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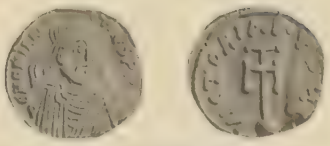

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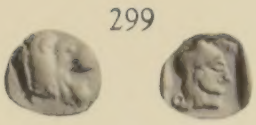

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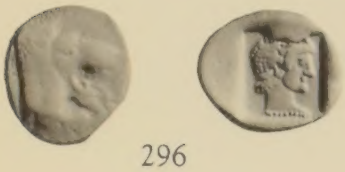

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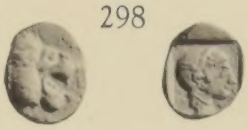

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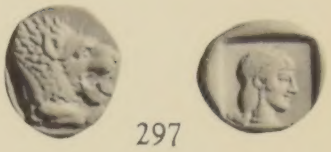

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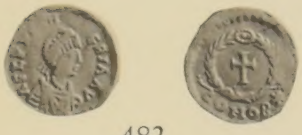

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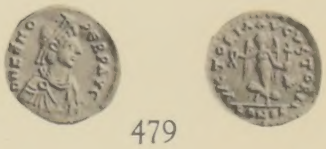

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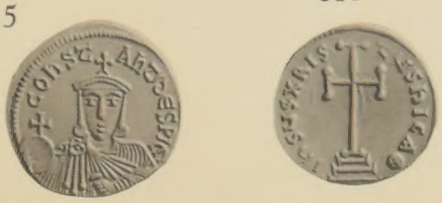

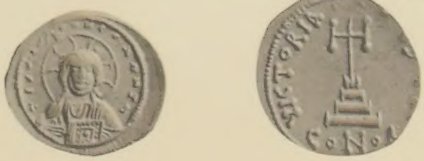

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